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Drama Festival Programs Fresh Off Press

Designed by Ken McAllister, bright program... 25,000 of them... for Dominion Drama Festival here came off the press today. Featuring an Indian cover motif, and illustrated with

a magnificent photograph of Elk Falls, the program gets approving smile from artist McAllister and Norene Coates. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

## THE POLITICAL POT

Political observers are looking for a hot battle in Vancouver's Grey between Tory George Miller and ex-Tor now Attorney-General Robert Bonner.

Mr. Miller said friends during the last session he'd only seek election again if he could run against Mr. Bonner.

But now he has been nominated, and they are on the same spot, so Mr. Miller gets his shot.

"I'm told Bonner is being run Point Grey to clean up on," Mr. Miller said a recent evening. "But I'm not afraid of him. I'll stake my political future on opposition to the most dubious piece of legislation in C's history—the Roistron formula."

His running mates are Stewart Chambers, Vancouver lawyer, and T. F. Orr, Vancouver laborman.

There's nothing quite like unbounded optimism. John Perce, Chilliwack contractor and president of the B.C. Social Credit League, said a recent meeting:

"We'll win in coming elections and stay in power for 50 years."

Mr. Perce, running in Mackenzie, who is not his home riding.

Mayor Toby Jackson of New Westminster has been nominated Liberal candidate in that riding.

New nominations—Robert Carson of Valleyview, son of a former Liberal member of the legislature, Liberal Kamloops nephew of late Eric Carson, a very; Harvey Murphy, regional director of the B.C. Mill and Melt Workers' Union, L.P.P., Vancouver East L.P.P. Leader Nigel Morgan nominated for the seat earlier; Thomas Irish, speaker of the legislature, Social Credit; Bill; Frank Bond, Prince George, C.C.F.; Fort George; Fred Stevens, retired taxi company operator, P.C.; Burnaby; Neil Carmichael, chairman of the Vancouver Athletic Commission; at Hugh Allen, Communist; C.W. executive director, Vancouver Conservative, Vancouver Credit, C.W. P.C.; Taylor, municipal councillor, Progressive Conservative, Chilliwack; H. R. Ding, Cranbrook Farmers' Co. Sec'd, Cranbrook.

## DRAMA FESTIVAL CURTAIN MONDAY

National Title at Stake Here  
When Canada's Best Compete

The curtain goes up Monday in Victoria on the biggest thing in Canadian drama—the annual Dominion Drama Festival.

Eight amateur theatrical groups, from widely-scattered points, are coming to compete for national honors. They bring with them 150 performers, who are regarded as the cream of Canada's acting crop.

Months of preparation have gone into each of the eight plays which will be presented at the Royal Theatre during the course of the festival. Two of the plays—"Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme," by St. Joseph's University Group, of New Brunswick, and "Zone," to be presented by Le Jeune Scene of Montreal—will be in French.

The people coming to display their talents are all in it for the love of the stage. They are traveling to and from the festival largely at their own expense.

The company of 25 coming from St. Joseph's University, Saint John, N.B., will travel tourist class by train for almost a week to cover the 4,000 miles between their own coast and this. Cost of their trip is about \$5,000. The Dominion Drama Festival provides only \$900 to help defray this expense.

Most of those in the festival are making the trip during their annual holiday time.

The eight plays scheduled for presentation in the festival were picked from 54 full-length productions submitted in regional competitions. John Allen, an adjudicator from London, England, traveled the country by train and plane during the regional contests, and it was his verdict that decided what plays would be in the final.

Adjudicator for the festival here will be Pierre Lefevre, also of London, who is now flying here, by way of New York, and is expected to arrive Saturday.

The adjudicator is bilingual so that plays in both French and English will be judged on an equal basis.

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**Blast Victim Dies**  
CALGARY (CP)—Charles J. Blake, 54, died in hospital here today—the second victim of an explosion which rocked the Canadian Pacific Railway station last Sunday. Mrs. Blake, his wife, died shortly after the explosion and six others were injured.

**SHOULD LAST AWHILE**  
ARCADIA, Calif. (UP)—Keesinger's worm farm reported to police yesterday that someone stole 27,000 angle worms worth \$108. They noted that fishing season opens today.

# Bulganin Challenges West to Reduce Arms

## Buenos Aires Shaken By 7 Bomb Blasts

Peron Demands Probe of U.S. News Agencies

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (UP)—A truckload of police arrived in front of the United Press Bureau in Buenos Aires today, shortly after President Juan D. Peron had demanded in a speech, an investigation of the three American news agencies represented here.

Seven bomb explosions shook Buenos Aires this May Day morning. The seventh occurred while President Juan Peron was addressing the opening of the 87th Argentine Congress. The blast could be heard clearly in the chamber.

All the bombs were set off in small public parks, where damage was unlikely. The first blast occurred shortly after midnight.

Police were spaced about 10 yards apart along both sides of the streets over which Peron rode from his residence to Congress. He made no reference to the explosions but began his speech by hotly assailing his enemies, whom he linked to imperialist forces abroad. He did not identify these forces.

He said tales of supposed Argentine economic crisis had been invented and spread abroad by the Associated Press and the United Press. At another point he spoke derisively about the Christian Science Monitor, which has criticized his regime.

## 8 Provinces Appeal Freight Rate Hike

OTTAWA (CP)—Eight provincial governments today formally called on the cabinet to revoke the 7 per cent increase in freight rates that went into effect March 16.

In an appeal to the government against the Board of Transport Commissioners' \$38,500,000-a-year award to the railways, the provinces asked that after the increases were rolled out, the board be directed to undertake further studies in connection with the disputed increase.

The provincial group—all except Ontario and Quebec—contended that the board accepted some railway figures on expense and revenues without enough investigation.

**Laing Resigns Seat**  
OTTAWA (BUP)—Arthur Laing, Liberal Member of Parliament for Vancouver South, resigned his Commons seat today to devote his full time to his new job of Liberal party leader in British Columbia.

Laing was named head of the British Columbia Liberal party at a recent convention in Vancouver. He will lead the party in a major Liberal bid to win the forthcoming provincial election in the west coast province June 9.

## LONDON TIMES BLASTS CLARK OVER MIG OFFER

LONDON (UP)—The influential London Times denounced Gen. Mark Clark today for offering \$100,000 to the first Communist pilot to deliver a MIG-15 undamaged to Allied hands.

The Times, which usually supports Prime Minister Winston Churchill, criticized him too for defending Clark's offer in the House of Commons.

"Very many people in this country outside the Labor ranks in the House of Commons think the offer repugnant, stupid and ill-timed," The Times said.

In his defense of the American action, Sir Winston Churchill quoted a distinguished textbook on international law stating that the proffer of such bribes for treachery in time of war was no longer considered 'illegal,' but he surely said far more than he intended when he added that it was 'very much better to be bribed than to be killed.'

## Mayhew Offers Amalgamation Survey Backing

\$1,000 Donation Contingent On Wide Business Backing

By ED McLEAN, Times Business Editor  
Logan Mayhew offered today to contribute \$1,000 to break the Greater Victoria municipal amalgamation deadlock.

His donation, earmarked for a chamber of commerce-financed independent survey of all aspects of amalgamation, was announced at a chamber directors' luncheon.

Mr. Mayhew said his donation was contingent on Victoria, Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich businessmen providing the remainder of survey's \$5,000-\$10,000 cost.

Greater Victoria businessmen should take leadership in the bogged-down amalgamation question, Mr. Mayhew told the Times.

"It's up to business to pay the shot for a survey that may settle this question, one way or the other. Here's my contribution; let's all chip in."

Chamber of commerce civic affairs group, headed by Len Hobbs, delivered to C. of C. directors March 7 a recommendation made by a sub-committee led by former city alderman Aubrey Kent.

**STUDY RECOMMEND**  
It advocated a painstaking over-all study of amalgamation by an independent expert.

Proposal has been studied by the chamber's 1953 directorate—but a chief obstacle to implementation is the chamber's financial situation. Last year the chamber received \$700 less than its widespread work cost. It began 1953 with only \$1,165 in the bank.

Amalgamation was one of two topics slated for chamber of commerce directors' meeting in the Empress Hotel today. Downtown parking was the other. The discussions began at press-time.

Civic affairs sub-committee's recommendation on amalgamation was pegged to an analysis by Forrest L. Shaw of the B.C. Power Commission, one-time city solicitor. (Mr. Shaw's brief was published in four installments in the Times on March 17-20.)

**SHOW NO INTEREST**  
Recommending the chamber provide \$5,000-\$10,000 for an independent survey, the sub-committee emphasized Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt appeared "not interested" in leading the way toward amalgamation. It also feared if Victoria city financed the study other municipalities might quarrel with the findings on the basis of Victoria bias and self-interest. Municipal amalgamation has been a lively topic here since 1910.

## Moscow May Day Speech Hits Defense Build-Up

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet Union's defense minister, Marshal Nikolai A. Bulganin, challenged the western world today to show by deeds as well as pacific statements that it wants peace.

Until the west does, Bulganin declared in a short May Day address in Moscow's Red Square, Russia will continue to "show due care for ensuring the defense and security of our country."

The war minister demanded substantial evidence—particularly a reduction of armaments in lands near the Soviet Union—as a sign that other countries seek a peaceful solution of the world's problems.

"The Soviet government will welcome any steps on the part of other governments genuinely aimed at the easing of tension in the international situation and would like to see peaceful statements made by the leaders of these governments supported by deeds," he said.

The speech was a highlight of Moscow's May Day celebration which also included a short military review and a longer workers' parade.

Bulganin said the Soviet Union believes that with "goodwill and a sensible approach, all international differences can be solved by peaceful means."

Just before speaking he inspected troops drawn up in Red Square and nearby streets. The square was decorated with portraits of Lenin and Stalin, coats of arms of the 16 Soviet republics and party slogans.

Formations of jet planes flew overhead as the military parade got under way.

Bulganin's statement came as Pravda, the Soviet Communist party's newspaper, called for an armistice "in the cold war which is ruining all people."

**Brawls, Fights Mark Parades**  
Outside the Iron Curtain, workers of the free world also marked the holiday with rallies, speeches, parades. There was some fighting, however.

In Japan, where rioters attacked American vehicles and battled bloodily with police last May Day, jeering marchers again brawled with the steel-helmeted cops.

Some 10,000 jeering leftist youths tangled with 1,500 police when the youths refused to disperse at the end of what had been a peaceful parade by 500,000 laborers through downtown streets.

One of the biggest May Day observances was in Berlin, where east and west staged rival shows less than a mile apart under a broiling sun and a cloudless sky. In the Soviet sector workers marched for hours past a reviewing stand of top Communist government chiefs and Russian officials.

West Berliners massed in front of the ruined Reichstag to hear their anti-Red leaders defy Communist encroachment.

In troubled Iran, the military governor of Tehran banned all demonstrations by workers and students in the capital after rumors that the outlawed but active Communist Tudeh party planned a big rally. Such affairs in the past have often wound up in bloody street fights.

New York police also banned the annual march there, asserting it had become a Communist affair. A meeting in downtown Union Square—okayed by the police in the interest of free speech and assembly—was scheduled instead.

**Fighting Breaks Out Around Laos Capital**  
HANOI, Indo-China (UP)—French and Vietminh Communist forces started trading fire today outside the royal capital city and a major showdown battle was making in the Red invasion of little Laos kingdom.

French sources here said French patrol units exchanged rifle and submachinegun fire with advance Vietminh spearheads in a narrow ring of no-man's land around besieged Luang Prabang.

French airmen risked death in murky weather to land at Luang Prabang during the night with additional supplies for the estimated 9,000 French union defenders who have dug in for a "fight to the death" to save the royal capital.

The emergency air cargoes included desperately-needed artillery pieces. Six battalions of Vietminh siege troops were reported to have set up 120-mm. mortars and Czech-made 75-mm. recoilless guns around the city.

French units were laying hundreds of mines in the ring of no-man's land separating the two armies.

Vietminh troops Thursday captured Muong Sung, 25 miles north of Luang Prabang, which was the last French outpost guarding Nam Hou River valley approaches to the city. The capture opened a clear invasion path to the city for Red Gen-

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## GRISLY GUARANTEE

### Chief's Head Gives Reds Safe Passage

SINGAPORE (Reuters)—Three members of a high Communist chief's bodyguard were surrendered to British security forces here, swinging a chief's head by the hair as a safe conduct pass.

The bodyguards turned on the Red boss in the Malayan jungle underground, killed him, and gave themselves up, authorities announced today.

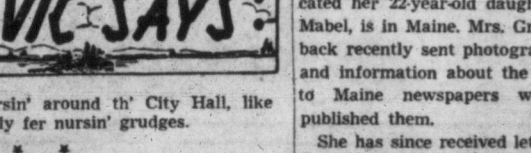
The leader was Ah Kuk, a member of the central committee of the Malayan Communist party. British security forces have sought him since the start of the jungle war here five years ago.

Authorities claimed he was the most important terrorist leader eliminated since December, 1949, when police shot down another central committee man, Kar Sin.

The three bodyguards—one was a woman—emerged from the jungle and flagged down a passenger train by swinging the severed head by the hair.

## CROSSWORD CONTEST

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If there's any wet nursin' around th' City Hall, like Mr. Smith sez, bet it's mostly fer nursin' grudges.

Them Malayan rebels who used a feller's head 'n' flag down a train with must 'o' noticed he was lantern-jawed.

M' Uncle Zeke's bin called a bad actor, but he's goin' t' th' drama festival just th' same.

## LADY WONDER SLEUTHS AGAIN

### Talking Horse Says Missing Girl Can Be Found in Maine

GUELPH, Ont. (CP)—A tip from a talking horse has given a grey-haired mother new hope of finding her daughter who vanished three years ago.

Mrs. Sheldon Crumback said Thursday night the horse indicated her 22-year-old daughter, Mabel, is in Maine. Mrs. Crumback recently sent photographs and information about the girl to Maine newspapers which published them.

She has since received letters from Maine, but nothing yet to lead her to the attractive girl who disappeared from her home in a Toronto suburb one night while her parents were attending a wedding in Detroit.

The horse is Lady Wonder, 28 years old, owned by Mrs. Claudia Fonda of Richmond, Va. Lady Wonder responds to questions by muzzling levers that raise letters and numbers which questioner's watch for clues.

Lady Wonder was in the news four months ago when police credited the animal with helping them find the body of Danny Matson, four, missing two years from his home in Quincy, Mass.

About that time reporter Dorothy Howarth of the Toronto Telegram went to see the horse. One of the questions she asked Lady Wonder was "where is Mabel Crumback?" The reply was "in Maine."

Mrs. Crumback, who moved here with her family from the Toronto area about three months after Mabel disappeared has never given up hope that the girl will return.

Neighbors said they heard a scream and men's voices in the Crumback home about the time the brown-haired, \$28-a-week bookkeeper disappeared on May 28, 1950. Soon afterwards, a grey car sped down the street.

Mrs. Crumback said at that time she feared her daughter had been lured or forced from her home. She feels now Mabel is an amnesia victim—or is dead.

"I'm sure that if she were in her right mind, she'd come back."



## Tax-Reduction May Avert Depression

Harvard Economist Says U.S. Must Slash Taxes to Avoid 'Calamity' Within 2 Years

TORONTO (BUP)—The United States government must reduce taxes to avoid the "calamity" of a depression within two years, an economist and professor at Harvard University warned Thursday night.

## Cool Weather Delays Prairie Crop Seeding

WINNIPEG (CP)—Seeding is expected to be general in Manitoba by about May 6 and at the same stage in Saskatchewan and Alberta by May 15, the first crop reports of the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways said today.

Seeding dates are two weeks later than in 1952 but are average for the 10-year period.

Soil moisture reserves are generally lower than at this time last year and pessimism has been expressed for yields from second crop seedings. A general rainfall in the last two days has improved the picture in southern areas.

In northern Manitoba lower temperatures have held seeding back. Seeding is under way in some areas of south and central Saskatchewan but the northern sections of that province have seen little work.

Seeding is not under way in the central district of Alberta nor in the Edmonton and Peace River sections. Because of cool weather and slow-drying soil, no field work has been done in the Peace River area.

A survey by station agents shows a total of more than 25,000,000 acres intended to be sown in wheat this year in the three provinces.

## Court Orders Widow To Pay Bus Company

TORONTO (BUP)—The widow of an Elmira, Ont., school bus driver lost a \$40,000 damage action Thursday and was ordered to pay \$710 for damage to the bus that killed her husband.

Sylvester Gingrich, 53, was killed near Kitchener, Ont., Jan. 22, 1952. He had stepped out beside his own stalled bus and a second bus of the Lichman Coach Lines struck him.

Justice J. Spence of the Ontario Supreme Court said Gingrich rich violated the Highway Traffic Act in not posting a flare beside the stalled bus, and the other driver had not been negligent.

He ordered Dorothy Gingrich to pay the bus line for all damages.

## BOOMERANG

LONDON (CP)—When a man threw a brick at the window of an Oxford Street jewelry shop the window glass was smashed, but the steel grill bounced the brick back at the raider. He was dazed and police had an easy arrest.

## Two Charged With Murder In Montreal

MONTREAL (BUP)—Two men who were arrested in a police raid in a Toronto hotel room were held today for trial in the gangland-style revenge slaying of a small-time gambler whose weighted body was found in a Quebec creek.

Frank Battaglia, 38, of Oakville, Ont., and James Rogers, 27, of Montreal, were arraigned briefly before Judge Gerald Almond Wednesday afternoon and charged with the murder of Charles "The Kid" Wagner, 27, Almond ordered them held for preliminary hearing May 7.

Police said both had confessed they were involved in the February murder of Wagner which officers described as a possible "revenge slaying following a double-cross."

The body of Wagner, described by police as a small-time gambler who operated here and in Toronto, was found by two men who stopped at a creek at St. Mathieu de la Prairie to check on fishing prospects. He had been shot through the back of the head with a .32-calibre pistol and his body was partly hidden by a rock weighing more than 340 pounds.

Battaglia and Rogers were arraigned shortly after they appeared as material witnesses at a coroner's inquest. The jurors found them criminally responsible for Wagner's death.

EDSON, Alta. (CP)—A grizzly bear weighing 700 pounds was killed in this district by W. Armstrong and D. Willis. Last year the same pair tracked a grizzly with a foot print of 12½ inches but didn't catch up with it.

## DOUBTS CHRIST'S VIRGIN BIRTH

## 'Heretical' Birmingham Bishop Retires at 79

BIRMINGHAM, Eng. (Reuters)—Dr. Ernest Barnes, 79-year-old "heretical" Bishop of Birmingham, retired today because of ill health after 29 controversial years in the post.

The Anglican Church leader attracted world-wide attention for doubting Christ's virgin birth, miracle cures and bodily resurrection on grounds they were scientifically untrue. He refused to resign in 1947 after being called upon publicly to do so by the Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Geoffrey Fisher, primate of the Church of England.

Dr. Barnes went into retirement quietly with a farewell message free of controversy. He wished the church and laity "Godspeed in the work which lies ahead" and expressed the hope they will "continue to bring to that work the quiet confidence wherein lies strength."

The bishop stirred up violent controversies on a variety of topics from the first year of his appointment here. He wrote three books on religion, all devoted to his central theme that there is a scientific answer for practically everything.

Some of the bishop's controversial opinions were:

The virgin birth: "The stories have a pagan background. The

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## Sir Archibald Nye Due Here May 4

PRINCE GEORGE (BUP)—Sir Archibald Nye, United Kingdom High Commissioner to Canada, and Lady Nye were to inspect industries and attend a dinner given by the Board of Trade today. They leave Saturday for Quesnel on their "get acquainted" tour of British Columbia. Sir Archibald and Lady Nye will be in Victoria May 4-5.

## ONE-SHOT CURE

WASHINGTON (UP)—Two public health service experts said today a long-acting form of penicillin shows promise of being a "one-shot cure" for syphilis in its early stages.

Dr. James K. Shafer, acting chief of the service's venereal disease division, said the drug "looks like the first where we can say a single injection will handle syphilis."

## 50 New-Style Sabre Jets Blast Enemy Radio, Building

SEOUL (AP)—Fifty swift F-86 Sabre jets flying as dive bombers today blasted a big radio station and a military headquarters building near the North Korean capital, Pyongyang.

The 5th Air Force reported the attack shortly after announcing that the 8th Fighter Bomber Wing is flying F-86s, giving the UN command four complete Sabre wings in Korea. Twenty-five of the planes in today's attack were from the 8th.

The number of swept-wing Sabres in combat has been doubled in the last few months. Other Allied fighter-bombers have cratered at least seven Communist airfields in North Korea in the last week to keep them out of operation, an air force officer said.

Communist armies along the 155-mile battle front observed May Day—the traditional Red holiday—quietly. There were only a few minor skirmishes.

SPRING CLEANING LONDON (CP)—Spring cleaning has started at Waterloo station, from where trains run to many parts of Britain. It will take eight men three months to clear grime from the station's 13 acres of glass and girders, using dilute acid.

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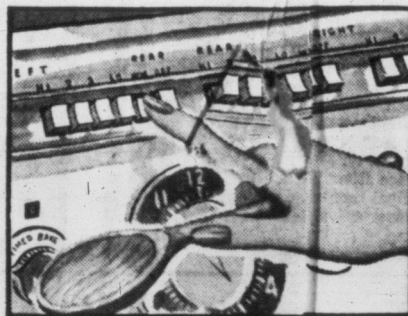
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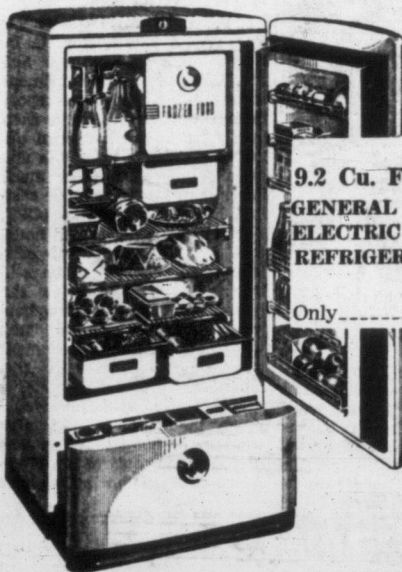
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# U.S. Tornadoes Take 16 Lives

365 Homes Destroyed; 1,200  
Homeless; Child Torn From Car

WARNER ROBINS, Ga. (UP)—Tornadoes which smashed into this air base town and several other peach belt communities left at least 16 persons dead and an estimated 350 injured today.

The Red Cross counted 16 dead, most of them in Warner Robins, and said the toll might go higher because 18 of the injured in hospitals here and in nearby Macon, Ga., were in critical condition.

Red Cross field workers said 365 homes were destroyed and 135 damaged, leaving 1,000 to 1,200 persons homeless.

The tornadoes hit shortly before dusk Thursday, two of them on Warner Robins World War II air base now converted into an air force maintenance center. Other storms struck at Ft. Valley, Milledgeville, Marshallville and Buena Vista, all in Georgia.

Nearly all of the deaths and most of the damage occurred here. The tornadoes dipped down as many of the town's residents were returning home from work.

## HEARD IT COMING

Bill Griffin of the South Ziegler section of Warner Robins said he was sitting in front of his brother's house when he "heard it coming."

# Federal Cabinet Promises Study Of Doukhobors.

Bonner to Prepare  
Written Statement

OTTAWA (BUP)—Doukhobor terrorism which has troubled British Columbia for years will be considered by the federal cabinet.

Justice Minister Stuart Garson conferred Thursday with British Columbia Attorney General Robert Bonner, who flew here from Victoria to ask for federal aid in combatting the radical terrorists.

The justice minister said Bonner would "prepare a written statement of the position of the province which I will take to my colleagues."

After cabinet consideration, he said, both the provincial submission and the cabinet reply would be released.

Neither of the men would comment on the conference, except that Garson said they had a "very useful conversation."

Recent arson raids by the fanatical Sons of Freedom faction of the Doukhobors have led to demands from Kootenay valley settlers for protection.

Bonner was understood to have asked for aid in policing the valley and working out a program of emigration for the Doukhobors.

# MIDDLE EAST CORONATIONS

## Jordan, Iraq Rulers Take Oaths Tomorrow

AMMAN, Jordan (UP)—King Hussein I of Jordan and King Feisal II of Iraq, two 18-year-old cousins, will be crowned in two of the Middle East's more influential states tomorrow.

In a simple ceremony before both houses of parliament Hussein I will take the oath of monarch of this arid land, newly found yet centuries old. Geographically it first was defined Sept. 1, 1922, and established as fully independent in 1946 but many of the events recorded in the Bible happened there.

As parliament gives three cheers and cries "Long Live the King" massed gun batteries throughout the nation will fire royal salutes to start the rejoicing throughout the kingdom.

Simultaneously, muezzins atop mosque minarets throughout the country of 1,500,000 persons will cry prayers of thanksgiving. Church bells will ring in joy from divided Jerusalem to the most southeasterly village.

Three days of festival activities will follow the young king's accession. These will include military displays, fly-pasts and drills by the tough, renowned Arab legion of Gen. Glubb Pasha. The accession festival will be a national holiday.

Actually the oath taking is a formality. Like Elizabeth of Britain, whose coronation exactly one month later will be far more elaborate, Hussein has

been on the throne for some time.

He became king when his father, Talal, abdicated in his favor last Aug. 11 for medical reasons. Talal succeeded Hussein's illustrious grandfather, Abdullah, when he was assassinated by an extremist July 20, 1951.

BAGHDAD, Iraq (UP)—A salvo of 101 guns will herald the accession of King Feisal II.

The youth who toured the United States last summer actually has been king since 1939 when his father, King Ghazi I, was killed in a car accident. A regency has ruled the country because he was too young to hold the throne.

Regent Abdul Ilah, Feisal's uncle, occupied his place in the intervening years and succeeded in guiding the nation through years when a Nazi plot was afoot to turn Iraq into a Hitler satellite. The plot failed.

Since the war Iraq has become a prosperous state from its oil royalties and other foreign investments.

Feisal's swearing in will be conducted in the lower house of parliament whose garden terraces overlooking the fabled river Tigris are one of the most picturesque sights in the Middle East.

## Ontario Factory Faced With Strike

OSHAWA, Ont. (BUP)—Fittings Ltd., one of this town's major factories, was threatened today with a strike of 1,000 workers after a vote by members of the United Steelworkers.

Union officials said the men voted to strike by an "overwhelming majority." Company officials would not comment. The union had demanded a wage boost to establish a base rate of \$1.50 an hour.

# Wonderful Singing, Adjudicator Comments

"I think you will agree, ladies and gentlemen, that we have heard some very wonderful singing." With these words, Filmer Hubble opened his adjudication of the ladies' operatic finals Thursday night at the Greater Victoria Musical Festival.

Three finalists were Ruth Champion, Adele H. E. Goult and Margaret Christison.

Ruth Champion was declared winner by Mr. Hubble, who praised her beautiful voice and authoritative style in the singing of "Pace, Pace, Mio Dio," from Verdi's "Forza Del Destino." Miss Champion received the high total of 177 marks for her two performances.

## PRaises SELECTION

In adjudicating the class for senior high school string ensemble, Walter Welke, director of instrumental music, University of Washington, praised choice of music in these classes. He considered Victoria High School senior ensemble had presented chamber music in a very good style, he commented as he awarded them 87 marks. Victoria High junior ensemble received 81. Judged separately, with clarinets and flute, the senior ensemble received 89 points.

Mr. Welke, a discerning and sometimes severe critic, praised the teachers and parents for the effort that had produced so much ensemble work among young children. He had superlatives for the Mozart "Quartet" performed by Russell Gruney, Dennis Tupman, Donna Easton and Dick Peage, exceeding the "ordinary maximum of 90 points" to award the afternoon's top mark, 92.

## HIGH MARKS

Other evening results were: Four violins, intermediate, Marie Milburn, Diana Bruntlett, Wendy Gerry and Mary Gow.

ard, 89 marks. High school choirs, open, mixed voices, 169. High school boys' chorus, Victoria High School Boys' Glee Club, 169. Special performances were given by Catherine Dixon, winner of junior soprano solo, and David Blamire, winner of junior baritone solo.

Awards presented during the evening were the Victoria Musical Art Society bursary for junior vocalist, won by Glen Atkinson; the University Women's book prize, for senior piano, Bach Prelude and Fugue, which went to Edna LeMarquand.

Other results during the day were as follows:

Piano—Bach Suite or Partita, 19 years and under: Lorraine Brand, 88; Diana Thom, 86; Dick Drysdale, 82. Bach Prelude and Fugue; 19 years and under: Edna LeMarquand, 88; Lorna Stuart, 87; Diane DeMott, 85. Senior Chopin, 19 years and under: Lorna Stuart, 161; Diana Thom, 159. Senior Beethoven, 19 years and under: Diane DeMott, 84; Diana Thom, 83. Beethoven Sonata Class, Tana Bowden, 88.

Junior vocal duet: Deanna Johnson, Gail Nivens, 83; Carol Kiefer, Frances Keifer, 82; Elizabeth Martin, Claire Stevenson, 80.

JUNIOR ARTISTS  
Junior vocal trio, female voices: Carol Kiefer, Frances Keifer, Carol Salonen, 81; Deanne Johnson, Gail Nivens, Kathleen Ironsides, 80. Junior folk song, any voice: Glen Atkinson, 87; Warren Cunningham, 86; Claire Anne Stevenson, 85.

Baritone solos, Grade A: David Asbell, 158; oratorio solo, male voices: Allan Husband, 84. Instrumental classes, rhythm band, Grade 1: Sir James Douglas School, Division 11, 176; Monterey School, 84. Rhythm

## Anglicans Contribute \$169,846 for Relief

TORONTO (CP)—Acknowledging receipt of contributions by Anglicans in Canada for British and Western Europe flood relief, Most Rev. Geoffrey Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, wrote "this vast sum is really quite overwhelming."

It was announced at Anglican headquarters here Thursday that \$169,846 had been contributed and of this sum only \$129 was deducted for exchange, telegrams and incidental expenses.

## (JURIS) PRUDENCE?

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP)—Judge John L. Kelly proved that he has a judicious eye for pulchritude. About 75 University of Buffalo students visited Kelly's court as observers, the boys sitting in the front row and the girls in the second.

"Put those pretty girls up front," Kelly ordered. "Give the judge a break."

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## Growing Worried

QUITE APPARENTLY PREMIER Bennett's second thoughts on the manner in which he forced a vote on the Rolston formula and encompassed the defeat of the Social Credit government are giving him serious concern.

Why, otherwise, should he indulge in the unusual fabrication, presented to a Social Credit meeting here Wednesday night, that provincial Liberals were instructed by federal cabinet ministers to throw his administration out of office?

Mr. Bennett had been adequately warned that insistence on the Rolston formula vote would bring about the government's downfall.

With that clear warning presented to him Mr. Bennett announced: "We welcome the test," adding the somewhat flamboyant explanation, "because we on this side of the House know we are on the side of right."

This in the face of W. T. Straith's straight statement minutes before the "We (Liberals) can't go along with the government on this bill (covering the Rolston formula). We think it is a vicious piece of legislation. It's retrogressive and nothing but political flim-flam," and the Liberal spokesman's proposal that the debate on it be adjourned to postpone the government's defeat and permit consideration of essential bills and other business.

Was it anything but an invitation to defeat when Premier Bennett on February 6 urged Mr. Harold Winch to "take it to the people" when the CCF leader opposed another Social Credit point? Or when the premier announced on the same date, "When you want a new test, let us know?"

## Alternative: Anarchy

REJECTION BY THE SUPREME Court of Canada of the appeal of Tony Poje, the Nanaimo union official who was found guilty of contempt of court in connection with the lumber workers' strike last year, presumably closes the legal aspect of the case. But there can be no doubt that it will be used for many years to come as a point of debate.

It will be recalled that the case arose as a result of the walk-out that tied up lumber production. Mr. Poje and a group of workers picketed a ship being loaded at Nanaimo, causing the work to halt. It was alleged that force was used or threatened, and the company claimed that the delay was costing it \$1,800 a day. A court injunction was obtained, forbidding the picketing. Mr. Poje and several others ignored the order and were brought into court.

Much of the subsequent argument has centred around the rights of unions to picket, the guilt or innocence of the men in this particular instance, the fact that the company later appeared willing to drop the case, and so on.

## Helping the Nursing Home

WHEN THE VICTORIA NURSING Home's proposed new 104-bed establishment is completed, one of the main concerns of the directors will be the provision of adequate furnishings for the rooms.

Already the women's auxiliary of the organization has established a respectable fund for that purpose, but a great deal more will be required to meet the \$50,000 goal set for that account.

Tomorrow the citizens of this community will have an opportunity

to show their appreciation of the service the new nursing home promises. They may express their sentiments in tangible form by contributions to the furnishings fund collected by taggers at stations on a number of downtown streets.

The purpose of the nursing home is widely understood. A generous response to this public appeal will reflect credit on Great Victoria which has, this year, established a remarkable record for assistance to worthwhile causes.

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Much the same idea is carried out in the residential sections, most of which are designed for single unit homes. There are few through streets, so that traffic is not routed past the houses. The dwellings are planned so that their main living areas are away from the street. The rear gardens give on to "green belts" or elongated parks which provide play spaces and pedestrians' walks.

Sports fields are in the plan, and on the outer limits of the community

are allowances for a golf course, landing strip, country inn, bathing beach and other facilities.

There is nothing compulsory about the program. In fact, Alcan officials expect many amendments to be made in the light of experience as the town grows. That is entirely up to the elected Kitimat council. The same freedom applies to individual homes, although certain zoning regulations are recommended. It is hoped that the houses built will be distinctively "British Columbia" in style, rather than importations that will not suit the topography.

The study started with an examination of the soil, weather, temperature and rainfall of Kitimat, and went on from there. The end result, if carried out, would make this the first community in B.C. to be properly planned from start to finish—"a balanced framework," in Mr. Dudley's words, "for working and living." Kitimat could become the showplace of B.C.—perhaps of Canada.

## This Year's Maypole



## Chips

BY DAVID BROCK

I HOPE you had a lovely May Day today. I did. I crowned myself Queen (which I shall do again on May 24, that latter date having got badly confused with May Queens in these parts... Queen Victoria, whose birthday we celebrate then, was Queen of a great many things, but even Lord Tennyson never persuaded her to be Queen of the May, and he was glad he didn't, and I'm not unhappy about it myself.

End of parenthesis, Miss Gotch. And I marched in a parade with the Comrades, crying "down with the aristocrats!" Forgetting they are already as down as anything, and troublesome to none. The only true aristocrat today is the Commissar... he is even too haughty to march in the parade, which is a bit of a joke, only you mustn't explain it to him, or bango! down you go in his little black book.

BEST of all on May Day, I like to find out who my sweetheart is. This I achieve by washing my face at dawn in the dew from the hawthorn tree, walking backwards six times around my magic well, tripping on the sixth circuit and banging my head sharply on a stone which I keep for the purpose. While comatose from the effect of the blow, I see my true love's features as plain as God made her. From my slight knowledge of ethnology (which is the study of all races except horse races), I gather she is a Siberian Eskimo, about 183 years old and in a great state of disrepair. I have not met her yet. I am in no hurry to. But you can't stop me from dreaming, can you?

WHEN I was younger, I used to celebrate the night of April 30-May 1, which is Walpurgis Night. A great night for witches. According to Goethe and many others, they gathered mostly on the Brocken, so I felt right at home. The Devil didn't remind me of any Brock I ever knew. He looked more like a cross between a goat and Lord Byron (which is exactly how he felt, too, he told me). But Brock or Brocken, what's the odds on Walpurgis Night? Another ceremony I used to love when I was a Rhodes Scholar, which wasn't any too often, was the hymn to the sun. This is sung (I'm not fooling here) from Magdalen tower at 6:00 a.m. on May 1. It used to be sung at 5:00 a.m. but I don't suppose the sun cares much... he's too busy, and also he has got used to daylight saving and the Devil knows what. Rationalists say this hymn to the sun on May Day is a survival of the requirement

for Henry VIII which used to be sung from that tower. But super-rationalists say it must be a still earlier rite.

AND what do we care how it began? Enough that it is a most pleasing bit of nonsense. We don't get much of that. How charming it would be, at maybe 4:00 a.m. on May 1, to have some worthy scholar appear at the top of Victoria College and intone some original ode to the morning star. Or even to the Devil. The Speaker of the Legislature, on May Days when he doesn't happen to be dissolved, could climb up into that little crownsteeple over the dome and sing us a welcoming address to the night steamer from Vancouver.

AS if by magic, hanging baskets appear on every lamp post. A cart, gaily bedecked, goes from street to street, watering these baskets... not, on May Day, with water, but with loganberry wine. As the wine drips onto the pavement, the drug stores give away free syringes with each purchase of one dollar or more. Oh... I forgot to say that the horse drawing the cart is really a milk-white mule and not a horse at all. Later in the day he becomes a loganberry-and-cream color.

A deputation from the May Day Committee goes to the Empress Hotel in an effort to borrow the Yukonide bear's head. They are suitably clad in gorse branches, which keep them hopping. Three times the hotel formally declines to lend the bear's head, declaring this is not Christmas, and three times the Committee prances around in well-simulated anguish and despair. Then Mother May Day (a character I have invented myself and intend to play myself)... Mother May turns up, she droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven, and she suggests that a calf's head is always nice.

IN a spirit of compromise, this suggestion is adopted, and a fine calf's head is carried about the streets as a symbol of May and rejoicing. Dressed as the Spirit of April, a pale young damsel jumps into the Inner Harbor and is seen no more. (Human sacrifice should attract both scholars AND tourists, which is more than you can say of policemen's helmets or bagpipes.)

The political parade and speeches are carefully adjusted to the jollier form of paganism. Every marcher carries a flowering branch as a symbol of progress, and every speech refers to our need of fresh sap, or saps. In fact, at the head of the parade is a man covered with green water, in the part of Young Sap. These details take about a year to work out, so let's get cracking. I'm rather keen on a Walpurgis Night pageant myself. For adults only. A cross between "Tobacco Road" and Olsen and Johnson. I'll let you know.

## As Our Readers See It

### DELAYED ACTION

Mrs. Arsens has seen fit to repeat the charges of J. A. Reid against the public schools system of B.C. She states that Mr. Reid's charges were based upon "disgraceful notes" he found in his daughter's school books.

Why were these notes not brought to the attention of the principal, the inspector, the school board, the parent-teachers, the department of education at the time? If these notes were so shocking surely he should have withdrawn his daughter from the school immediately and reported the situation to the authorities.

These notes remind me of the "text-books" referred to by Mr. Reid in his speech in the legislature. These books were so shocking that Mr. Cloutworthy burned them. Yet he forgot their title, the author, the publisher and he also failed to report them to the responsible authorities.

I think that we are entitled to ask why Mr. Cloutworthy and Mr. Reid failed in their original duty of reporting these "evils" as soon as discovered when effective action could have been taken to remedy them.

We are also entitled to ask, why these charges are being made in an election campaign? What are the motives behind this Social Credit attack upon our public schools? The courageous and

honest method of attacking flaws in the school system would have been the direct approach to the responsible authorities.

FRANK SNOWSELL.  
CCF Candidate for Saanich, 480 Mark gold Road.

### 'MUST GO ON'

The York Theatre controversy has aroused strong feelings on one point: disregard of the tradition "The show must go on."

This is mystifying to one of your readers because Victoria has no tradition of the theatre.

You cannot say as yet that the York is maintaining a theatrical tradition—it is creating one, a much more difficult matter.

Ancestors have one code, descendants another. The present personnel should be judged (if one must judge) as pioneers rather than an established order.

The tension between management and actors, between the financial and artistic view, is as old as the theatre. Let us hope the difference will be made up without disastrous loss of talent, and that we can produce our own success of scandal here, not one borrowed from Vancouver.

G. J. PUNNETT.

3477 Douglas Street.

## He Did a Good Job

When a public servant of the calibre of ex-sheriff Duncan MacBride retires from office I consider that some recognition should be expressed of his outstanding service as an officer of the courts.

Duncan MacBride was appointed to the important office of sheriff on February 1, 1942, succeeding the late Sheriff Goggin, and there served over 11 years carrying out the duties of sheriff for the County of Victoria.

It has been my privilege, along with other members of the bar, to be in quite close association with Mr. MacBride in many matters connected with his office but I have a particular recollection and the lasting impression of the dignity with which he carried out his duties in connection with the several assizes in which I appeared as Crown Counsel and I know that the views I have expressed are shared by a great many of the other members of the bar who have acted for the Crown from time to time.

I particularly recall that more than one of the presiding judges expressed to me appreciation of the services of the sheriff during the assizes in which we were engaged, one of the judges men-

tioning the fact particularly to me in words to the effect that Sheriff MacBride conducted his duties in connection with that particular work with greater dignity and decorum and consideration for the jurors and others than any other sheriff in the province and this, of course, without reflection upon the others.

Mr. MacBride was a man of outstanding courtesy and endeared himself to all those who were associated with him in the enforcement of law. His one failing, I would suggest, one that sometimes troubled judgment creditors, was his generosity and warmth of heart in dealing with judgment debtors to whom he extended genuine human sympathy and understanding and in the long run accomplished probably greater results than otherwise might have been the case had he pursued a more rigorous prosecution of executions in his hands.

Mr. MacBride can look back on his service to the public as sheriff of this county with the satisfaction of knowing that he did a good job and earned the respect of all who came in contact with him.

ROBERT D. HARVEY.

516 Central Building.

## The Up-Island Viewpoint

### EISENHOWER'S SPEECH

The Courtenay-Comox Argus

There is a strong man in the White House again with a firm hand on the tiller, and even those Canadians who are so much afraid of Republicans must have felt reassured. They will wish, as do we all, that the domestic policy of the Eisenhower government was in as good hands.

### SHOCK OF CHANGE

The Ladysmith Chronicle

It is inevitable that Canada, with an economy tied and geared to that of our neighbor to the south, will share the shock of change that must take place in United States industry, where the development of production has taken care of the demands of war and overhauled and passed the huge peak of domestic needs.

Probably that is why President Eisenhower, although fully mindful that the dove of peace may yet prove to be another kind of pigeon, hints that a vast program of public works and industrial expansion could be launched to take up any potential slack inherent in a war-flushed economy. It is a hint that Canada could well follow, especially in some overdue public works.

### BLIND MAN'S BUFF

The Cowichan Leader

British Columbia seems destined to stage a repeat performance this summer of the blind man's buff which marked the political and economic stage in June last.

Last year's industrial experience was not at all happy. The IWA and carpenters' strikes which hit this coast were not backed by public opinion. The carpenters' strike in this area was wrapped in circumstances which indicated a far from enlightened union viewpoint.

The gains have practically disappeared for the men of both unions, in the form of the effect on IWA rates of a lowered cost of living index and of plain lack of work for carpenters.

One factor should be kept uppermost by the IWA this year. It centres around how the boss himself (shareholders large and small) is doing. In our opinion he has suffered some pretty hefty cuts in

his margins of profits, heaviest perhaps in hemlock although prices generally have looked down rather than up.

Speaking generally, the fact that, in so many company reports this spring, the amount of profit is second to total government taxation can scarcely be called reassuring. It is self-evident, to all who take the trouble to think, that increases in cost of production cannot come out of profits indefinitely. The strain is taken by the market, made up of buyers big and small.

### WOODS FATALITIES

The Twin Cities Times

Compulsory inspection of equipment, employer-union co-operation in safety programs have reduced the incidence of logging deaths and injuries. A lower percentage of accidents prevails in relation to the amount of logs produced compared to figures of a few years ago.

However, with three woods fatalities in this district within several months' time we must realize that everything possible in the way of accident prevention has not yet been accomplished.

Everyone in this lumbering community has been touched at one time or another by the tragedy of a death in the woods and has wondered what could have been done to prevent the loss of a young life.

Those measures already adopted must be maintained and new methods found in an intensified safety program.

**MARKED for READING ORDEAL**

I must not make a single controversial statement in a year...

—Allyson William Steward Perry, Mayor of Bath, England, describing his principal problem during his one-year term.

### TRY IT ANYWAY

There is one good way of dealing with those negative forms of local knowledge. If they conflict with personal experience, if they seem to insult probability, don't believe them. Go ahead and try the impossible, and let the natives smile their knowing pity.

—Roderick Haig-Brown in "Fisherman's Spring"

By BRIAN TOBIN

## FROM TREE-COVERED HILLSIDE TO THE TOWN OF YOUR DREAMS

## British Columbia's New Town of Kitimat Will Be a Model of Community Planning

MANY A TEEMING METROPOLIS of today originated in a barbarians' village, a Roman army camp, a forest trail junction or other chance location.

On this continent, more than one "Main Street" is recalled by old-timers as the evolutionary product of a cow trail. And it is a fact that the majority of our towns and cities exhibit evidences of having grown like Topsey. The traffic bottlenecks, the industrial sites nudging residential districts, the misplaced business sections and other obvious mistakes of community growth bear witness to the lack of planning.

It is a rare thing for a town or city to start from scratch and develop throughout according to a plan. When this happens, there is an opportunity to show what man can do in the way of designing a comfortable, convenient and efficient place in which to live with his neighbors. It will be happening in the newly-created township of Kitimat, B.C.

The Aluminum Company of Canada is to be congratulated on the course it has taken in this regard. Kitimat is the site of the great aluminum plant that will gather around it thousands of workers and their families, and eventually attract other industries as well. It could easily have become a so-called "company town," dominated in culture and civics, as well as economics, by its major industry. But the company directors saw otherwise.

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much farther. Each neighborhood has its schools, local shopping centre, church sites and so on. Schools have been designed to serve as community meeting places after hours.

The civic centre, which will expand with addition of new neighborhoods, is centrally located and contains shops, offices, hotels, government buildings, arena and so forth. The shopping district is surrounded by parking areas, with the fronts of the stores opening on to a central mall for pedestrians.

Much the same idea is carried out in the residential sections, most of which are designed for single unit homes. There are few through streets, so that traffic is not routed past the houses. The dwellings are planned so that their main living areas are away from the street. The rear gardens give on to "green belts" or elongated parks which provide play spaces and pedestrians' walks.

Sports fields are in the plan, and on the outer limits of the community

are allowances for a golf course, landing strip, country inn, bathing beach and other facilities.

There is nothing compulsory about the program. In fact, Alcan officials expect many amendments to be made in the light of experience as the town grows. That is entirely up to the elected Kitimat council. The same freedom applies to individual homes, although certain zoning regulations are recommended. It is hoped that the houses built will be distinctively "British Columbia" in style, rather than importations that will not suit the topography.

The study started with an examination of the soil, weather, temperature and rainfall of Kitimat, and went on from there. The end result, if carried out, would make this the first community in B.C. to be properly planned from start to finish—"a balanced framework," in Mr. Dudley's words, "for working and living." Kitimat could become the showplace of B.C.—perhaps of Canada.



## Moving Day Here

It's appropriate enough, I guess, landing on Page 5 on May 1. This, they tell me, is moving day. For Nancy it was easier. She was out on one woman's busy, busy day. When she came back she'd been moved—didn't know a thing about it and didn't have a worry.

Me, I've known about it and I've had my worries. You wonder, when you cosy up to the editorial page, if you should be a little more dignified, if you can afford to take off your shoes and ease around a column in your stocking feet or in a pair of old slippers.

You wonder if you shouldn't try to put on a literary tie and collar, and not come in at all if you're wearing dungarees and gardening boots.

You find yourself dressed differently on Page 5. The column dimensions are changed. You're fitted into an altered space. It's a bit like getting used to a new chair. You're not quite ready to throw your leg over the arm, slump down onto the middle of your spine and be natural. You wonder if you should try to adjust yourself or whether the smart thing would be to adjust your new surroundings to you.

I lean to the latter suggestion. I feel more like me that way. They are times when I put on a tuxedo, though they're infrequent. And when I do I'm always conscious of the fact the sleeves are too short. The stretch on the jacket button is a little too severe. The stiff collar digs into my neck. It isn't comfortable and the uniform's strictly for show.

## COMFY THIS WAY

So, unless something changes my mind, I'll string along in flannel and an open shirt here. Maybe it won't be right since I'll be hobnobbing with Page 4, where I've

tried to appear in a neatly-pressed business suit.

But at least it should help me cure my mild schizophrenia. It's one thing to write editorials. It's another to bang out a column. Sitting side by side with myself, as I'll be doing, it's going to be difficult to hide from my left hand what my right hand doeth.

And it's going to be interesting, in a minor way, to try to see what effect positional change will have on readership—if any. Newspapers today place great store in "dress" and display. The experts, Mr. Farrar among them, have figured out ways to make the type more eye-catching and the make-up more attractive.

Probably that's part of the packaging psychology of the day. Make it appeal to the eye and your product claims a public. In papers, you do that by special easy-to-read type, more emphasis on headline displays, a certain amount of white space, sharper writing and placement of stories.

## WHAT DO YOU READ?

A slight difficulty arises over different opinions on the points in question. Views vary on the value of locations in the paper. Canada's best known journalist isn't too impressed with the theory at all. He figures a writer will be read even if his stuff is set in agate—that's so small you need a magnifying glass—and buried in the ads, provided the writing is good enough. In that belief he's a minority. But they used to say the minority was always right. And he's undoubtedly correct on the importance of the writing.

There's another minor problem. Subscribers get into the habit of looking for certain news on certain pages. When it's switched around they grow irritated. They can't find what they're looking for.

Still, if they live in a home with teen-age children, that's a secondary worry. With kids in the house, they're lucky to be able to find the paper at all when the youngsters have finished with it. Which is another problem for the home paper.

## ISLAND DIGEST

**LADYSMITH**—City council will make immediate application for a clear title to the site of the old high school, vacant since 1952, in order to raise the building erected in 1901.

There is no record of the city having title to the land, although it is believed it was given for school purposes in the original city plan.

**DUNCAN**—Collectors for Kiwanis paper drive will begin work at 7 tonight in the eastern section of the city between the E & N Railway and Lakes Road.

**DUNCAN**—Agreement has been reached between local garage operators and Duncan Auto Workers' Union following lengthy negotiations. Terms include a 7½-cent hourly increase, and two weeks' holiday with pay if taken between Sept. 30 and April 1.

**NANAIMO**—Campaign to raise \$6,500 will be launched May 4 by the Canadian Arthritis and Rheumatism Society branch here. A one-night porchlight campaign will be held May 11, and the campaign will close May 20.

**COURTENAY**—Trustees of School District 71, faced with either having to close Minto School altogether, or retaining one teacher and a maximum of 25 students, decided to keep the old school operating another year with reduced attendance.

**COURTENAY**—Nine local organizations have entries ready for the seventh annual "Scattered Skits" show to be staged in the Bickle Theatre May 11, 12 and 13.

Adjudicator of the 15-minute skits, which constitute a "poor man's drama festival" and lean heavily on comedy, lampoon and burlesque, will be Peter Mainwaring, Vancouver, organizer of the Everyman Theatre and now on the professional stage in Vancouver.

## Religion in Schools

**WINNIPEG (CP)**—Some advances have been made in the problem of increasing teaching of religion in schools. Archdeacon G. W. Plumbridge of Dryden, Ont., told the provincial synod of the Anglican Province of Rupert's Land Thursday.

He said revision of present provisions may be accomplished in the near future.

W. E. Frame of Edmonton, chief superintendent of schools for Alberta, urged steps be taken to build public opinion in favor of religious education. Rev. G. H. Calvert of Calgary said all school subjects should be taught from the religious point of view.

The synod heard a report from John Ligertwood of Winnipeg and the world Christian youth conference at Travancore, India, held recently.

## MAGISTRATE NAMED

**EDMONTON (CP)**—Lloyd W. Hudson of Port Hawkesbury, N.S., has been appointed police magistrate in Edmonton, the attorney-general department announced Thursday.

Mr. Hudson succeeds S. G. Main, who resigned. A graduate of Dalhousie University, Mr. Hudson has been prosecuting officer for the county of Inverness since 1941.

## CATCHING UP

**CALGARY (CP)**—In one of the largest programs on record the Alberta government telephone system is installing almost 13,000 telephones in Calgary and district this year. Calgary now has 50,903 subscribers with a waiting list of about 8,000.

## PRAIRIE ROUND-UP

## Water Fluoridation Studied in Alberta

**EDMONTON (CP)**—A special committee appointed by the research council of Alberta has opened a technical survey on the merits of fluoridating public water supplies to prevent tooth decay.

At its first meeting held earlier this month, the committee considered data which had been previously assembled and laid plans for a detailed study of all phases of the subject.

The council said Thursday that it is already evident to the committee that the survey will require much time and effort, "but an endeavour will be made to carry out the survey as soon as possible."

The public has been invited to submit evidence.

## PLAN WAGE DISCUSSION

**WINNIPEG (CP)**—Proposals for an upward revision of wages in the union's contract with the Big Three packers will be discussed next week at the eighth annual convention of the 20,000-member United Packinghouse Workers of America CIO-CLC.

More than 100 delegates from all over Canada are expected to attend the four-day convention which opens here Monday.

The two-year union contract with the Big Three—Canada Packers, Swift's Canadian and Burns—does not expire until July 31, 1954. The contract's open-end wage clause, however, provides that the union and the company may "at any time between June 1 and July 31, 1953, give notice in writing of its desire to amend the provisions of the agreement relating to wages and no other matter."

## PLAN FILMS IN ALBERTA

**EDMONTON (CP)**—Columbia Pictures Incorporated has tentative plans to film three motion pictures in Alberta this year, the provincial economics affairs department reported Thursday.

A report from Wetaskiwin said a production unit is expected to make the town its headquarters for about two weeks in late July or early August. The report said it appeared Alan Ladd would be among those making the trip to Alberta, and possibly James Stewart.

## POLITICAL COMEBACK

**WINNIPEG (CP)**—Reviving the ancient battle cries "square deal or dare squeal" and "prosperity for posterity," an old warrior on the political battlefields of Manitoba is heading for a comeback.

W. D. Bayley, 73, former member of the Manitoba legislature and director of temperance education in Manitoba under Premier John Bracken in 1927, is willing to champion the cause of temperance in the provincial election June 8.

## ALBERTA FESTIVAL

**EDMONTON (CP)**—The violin artistry of two young Californians, Louis Macdonald and Ken Perkins, highlighted Thursday's session of the Alberta Musical Festival.

"These are outstanding examples of excellent Canadian violin playing," commented adjudicator John Russell.

Playing in violin duets for performers 19 and under, the pair won 90 points out of a possible 100 from Mr. Russell for their rendition of "Three Duos Con-

## OTTAWA BY-PLAY

Tom Reid Matches Wits With Charlotte Sees CBC Embroidering Iron Curtain

**OTTAWA (CP)**—The CBC and Charlotte Whitton got ticked off Thursday by indignant Senator Thomas Reid (L., British Columbia).

He said he suspects the CBC aims to throw an iron curtain around Canada as far as television is concerned, but that the people who can get American stations go right on listening to them anyway.

He said the CBC's recent "narrow attitude" on television may alienate the general feeling of good will it has built up. The way it had delayed private stations from coming into British Columbia, although a CBC station would not be ready for months, had angered people in that area and might well provoke a big political issue.

His attack on Ottawa's Mayor Whitton came in reply to a rebuttal the mayor made to previous criticisms in which she said she couldn't understand why senators went scrambling after Senate appointments when they didn't like Ottawa.

He didn't scramble after his

appointment, said Senator Reid. It was offered to him and he wasn't foolish enough to refuse something he knew would never be offered twice. As for Ottawa, he liked the place, but he still thought civic administration should be cut in two because its 23 controllers and aldermen plus the mayor made a total well out of proportion to the totals in such larger cities as Vancouver.

## REAL GRAVY TRAIN

**LONDON (UP)**—A special "gravy train" carrying 1,000,000 samples of a new gravy arrived here Thursday. The samples, in 3,900 mail bags, will be posted to British housewives.

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## TORY PREFERS CCF TO SOCREDS

Finlayson Says Social Crediters Lead to Economic Dictatorship

Tory Leader Deane Finlayson would rather see a Socialist government in power under Harold Winch than Social Credit in the provincial saddle.

He called Social Crediters "self-righteous and intolerant" when he spoke at a rally of his partisans in Oak Bay's Haultain Street Parish Hall Thursday night.

"The Social Credit way of life will lead to complete economic dictatorship," he warned.

Mr. Finlayson charged a feeling of "insecurity" prevails among all civil servants due to the way some government employees were treated by the Social Credit Government.

He knew a civil servant who was only given three days' notice by the Social Credit government before he was discharged.

The employee had served the government faithfully for 20 years," he said.

**KNOWS OTHER CASES**  
"I know of other cases like that," said Mr. Finlayson. "The result is that the civil servant is in an uproar."

He added that certain reports are going around that the Social Credit party intended to replace the present civil servants with its own party workers if elected in June.

"I've heard these sinister reports on more than one occasion," he said. "I wouldn't doubt it."

He said if the Progressive Conservatives are elected that the civil servants would be granted the rights of arbitration and conciliation.

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"We will also place the civil service above political interference," he said.

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## 20 UN Planes Lost In April, Says Report

SEQUEL, Korea (UP)—Fifth Air Force announced today that United Nations lost 20 planes during April. Two Sabrejets were lost in air-to-air combat. One Sabre, one Meteor, one Pantherjet, one Mosquito, one Shooting Star, and three Thunderjets were lost to Communist ground fire.

Two Invaders, four Sabres, two Thunderjets and one Shooting Star were lost to "other causes."

**Times Crossword Contest \$25 in Cash**

**THE RULES**  
Solve the clues as you would any crossword puzzle. Clip out the dotted form and mail it to The Times Crosswords, c/o Victoria Daily Times. Extra entries may be submitted on facsimiles of the same form, the same size. But NO MORE than TEN facsimiles will be accepted with each original.

All answers must be received by the morning mail of next Wednesday. Be sure to clip on the dotted line. This is for the convenience of tallying entries.

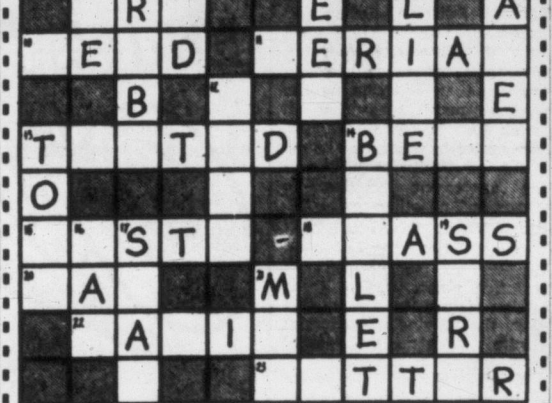
**EARLY MAILING WILL BE APPRECIATED**  
The answer will be printed in next Thursday's paper and the winners the same day. It will be a good idea to keep a record of your solution to compare it with the answer.

If more than one contestant succeeds in answering the puzzle correctly the prize money will be divided among those having the correct solutions. If no one succeeds in answering the puzzle correctly the prize will be added to next week's puzzle prize money and so on until a winner is obtained.

Study the clues carefully before you write down your answers. There is always one answer which is the best. The decision of the judges in the contest will be final and all contestants taking part agree to abide by the decision.

To assist you the alternatives that will be accepted are printed after the definition. Study them carefully.

**No. 6 - Puzzle - No. 6**



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**CLUES ACROSS**  
1. Unfilled space.  
2. Can give you an idea what performance to expect from a star.  
3. TRAILER, TRAINER.  
4. A very small number.  
5. Rearrange the letters of "run".  
6. To draw a ——— accurately can have its difficulties (READ, HEAD).  
7. If good, makes for better listening (AERIAL, SERIAL).  
8. When some products are found to be not up to standard.  
9. TASTED, TESTED.  
10. Should, of course, be kept in a suitable place (BEAR, BEER).  
11. Birds build them.  
12. Mothers would not be careless when dusting good — ornaments (CLASS, GLASS).  
13. Heated in a chair.  
14. Try to explain it to an idiot, and you'll probably get nowhere (RADIO, RADIO).  
15. A long time after you've been wronged, you may feel ——— about it (BETTER, BITTER).  
**CLUES DOWN**  
1. Not false.  
2. In a watch, and it's too bad if it doesn't go (FIND, WIND).  
3. In a ——— costume, a woman may look particularly attractive (GREEK, GREEN).  
4. You expect courtesy from such men (POLICE, POLITE).  
5. Person giving out the cards.  
6. Natives of Arabia.  
7. Suggest a settlement of some kind (LEER, FEAR, BEE).  
8. Large quantities.  
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## Publicity Angers Polish Refugee Pilot

LONDON (Reuters)—Franciszek Jarecki, Polish pilot who fled to Denmark in a Russian-built MIG jet fighter last month, left Thursday night by air for Washington in a high temper. Jarecki said he is annoyed at United States authorities putting his photograph on propaganda leaflets in Korea to induce Communist pilots to win a reward by following his example. "I feel my personal life is endangered and I think at least they might have asked my permission before doing it," he said. Jarecki said the offer of a reward was not likely to be successful and the Communists "will certainly pay me back—if they lay hands on me."

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## Resignation Will Not Alter Election Date

Aug 10 Remains Popular Forecast for Federal Vote Despite Sudden Action by Austin Dewar

By VICTOR MACKIE, Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA—The dramatic resignation from Parliament of Austin Dewar, Saskatchewan member of Parliament for Qu'Appelle, will not alter the government's plans for a general election in the very near future, probably in August.

August 10 still remains the most popular date for the general election in the discussions among the members. They were convinced Wednesday that Mr. Dewar's action will not change the government's thinking in regard to election dates.

Dissolution of parliament will probably come in mid-June. There are reports that Prime Minister L. S. St. Laurent will make an announcement before departing for the Coronation, indicating that the election will be about mid-August, but he will not pin-point the date.

Parliamentary corridors this week were buzzing as members discussed Mr. Dewar's decision to quit his seat in the House and submit his case to his electors in Qu'Appelle constituency. There was general agreement among the government members that their colleague had done the right thing in placing his political future in the hands of his constituents.

It was understood here that members of the Liberal executive in Qu'Appelle had been acquainted with Mr. Dewar's decision before he made his announcement in the House. Reports current in Ottawa this week were that Mr. Dewar had been assured of the solid support of the Liberal executive in Qu'Appelle and that he would have an excellent chance of being renominated.

Qu'Appelle constituency has been mentioned several times as a possible seat where J. G. Diefenbaker (PC-Lake Centre) might seek the Progressive Conservative nomination. It was Mr. Diefenbaker who first raised, in the House of Commons, questions relating to the Harveny Lunam Construction Company of Saskatchewan and its activities in regard to government contracts. Subsequently the Toronto Telegram assigned a columnist to go to Qu'Appelle and write a series of stories involving the Lunam Construction Company and Mr. Dewar.

If Mr. Dewar is successful in again winning the Liberal nom-

ination in Qu'Appelle and Mr. Diefenbaker decides to let his name stand for the Progressive Conservative nomination, it should prove to be a "battle royal" in the federal election fight in Saskatchewan. Earlier reports emanating from Progressive Conservative sources had Mr. Diefenbaker considering running in Prince Albert constituency, where his home is located. Mr. Diefenbaker's present seat of Lake Centre was combined, under redistribution last session, with Moose Jaw to form the constituency of Moose Jaw-Lake Centre, where Ross Thatcher, well-known CCF member, will seek re-election.

At a mass meeting in Prince Albert last week Mr. Diefenbaker did not disclose whether he would seek the nomination in that seat. He did promise to make his decision known within three weeks, when a nomination convention is held in that riding.

Mr. Dewar's resignation was the first of two from Liberal members of parliament expected this week. Arthur Laing, who represented Vancouver South, arrived back in Ottawa Wednesday from the west coast to place his resignation before the speaker. Mr. Laing has been named as head of the British Columbia provincial Liberal party and will lead the party in the forthcoming B.C. provincial election.

There will be no by-elections to fill the vacancies in the House. The dissolution of this parliament will precede the calling of by-elections, it is understood. Dissolution may come about June 12.

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## Chevrier Proposes 2-Way Seaway Work

BY JOHN LEBLANC

WASHINGTON (CP)—Canada's transport minister, Hon. Lionel Chevrier, has suggested Canada and the United States might end delay on the St. Lawrence seaway by each building on its own waterway.

In a major seaway speech Thursday night, the minister put forward this Canadian government view for the first time as a means of cutting through legislative and administrative slowdowns here that have held up the \$750,000,000 power-navigation project for years.

If the U.S. feels it must have a hand in the seaway, he said,

each country could build its own navigation works on its side of the St. Lawrence's international rapids section.

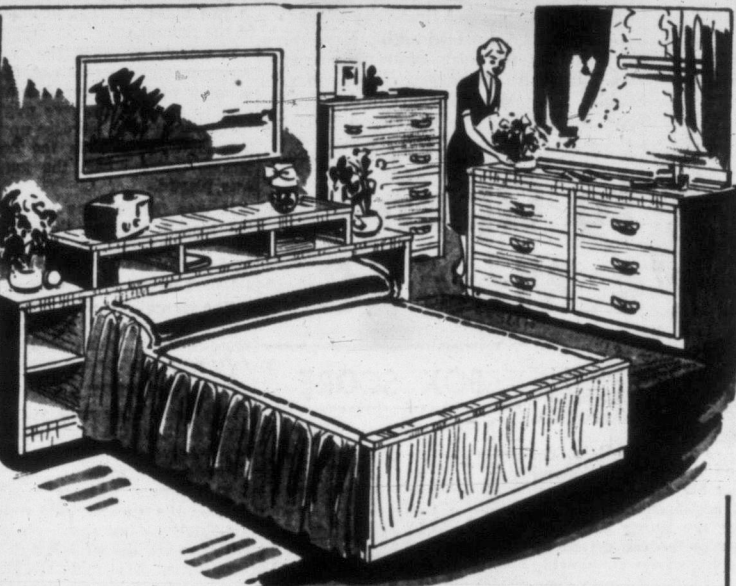
At present, Canada is ready to start the \$300,000,000 navigation part of the seaway alone under an agreement reached with the Truman administration. This awaits the designation of a U.S. agency to join the Ontario government in the \$400,000,000 concurrent power development on the rapids.

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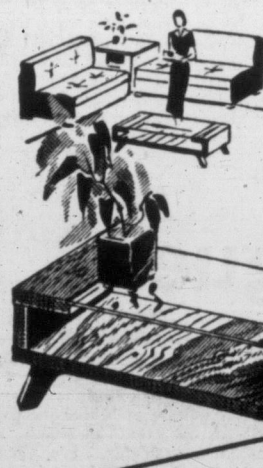
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## Derby Draws 12 Starters

By LEO H. PETERSON  
LOUISVILLE, Ky. (UP)—A field of 12, headed by the unbeaten Native Dancer, was entered today for Saturday's 79th annual running of the Kentucky Derby.

But only 10 of them may go to the post at 4:30 p.m. (CDT) unless the track is muddy. Social Outcast, stablemate of Native Dancer, and Money Broker may be scratched unless the track is heavy.

The owners and trainers of the horses entered against Native Dancer were for the most part hoping for an off-track, figuring it would slow up the grey-colored star of Alf Vanderbilt's stable.

But they received little hope from the weatherman.

The forecast for Saturday called for fair weather in the afternoon. However, scattered thunder showers were predicted for tonight ending Saturday morning. While the Churchill Downs track was muddy this morning, track officials said it would be fast for the Derby unless the thundershowers forecast for tonight were heavier than expected.

Entered along with Native Dancer, Social Outcast and Money Broker were Ace Destroyer, Curragh King, Royal Bay Gem, Invigorator, Straight Face, Ram O'War, Correspondent, Spy Defense and Dark Star.

Eddie Arcaro, who has won five Derbies, more than any other jockey, will ride Correspondent. Hank Moreno will be up on Dark Star, Jim Combost on Royal Bay Gem, Ted Atkinson on Straight Face, Willie Shoemaker on Invigorator, Al Popara on Money Broker, Pete McLean on Spy Defense, Dave Erb on Curragh King, Doug Dobson on Ram O'War and J. D. Jessop on Ace Destroyer.

The official Morning Line issued by the Churchill Downs trackman installed Native Dancer with his stablemate, Social Outcast, as the 3 to 5 favorite with Correspondent the second choice at 4 to 1.

Royal Bay Gem was held at 6 to 1, Dark Star 8 to 1, Straight Face and Money Broker at 10 to 1, Invigorator and Spy Defense at 20 to 1, and Ace Destroyer, Curragh King and Ram O'War 30 to 1.

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Then, around July 4, the one and only Gorgeous George will be here. In the middle of July, the present world's heavyweight champion, Lou Thesz, will appear here, and there is a chance that Antonio Rocca will also wrestle in Victoria. "The Bouncing Bull of the Pampas," as he is known, is the leading challenger to Thesz' crown.

But the bunch of mat-men promoter Ken Williamson had on Thursday night's card were no slouches either.

### Bowling Wind-Up

Victoria Tenpin Bowling Association will hold its annual smoker at Gibson's Bowladrome tonight at 9 and tenpinners who competed in men's leagues throughout the season will be treated to an evening of free bowling.

Ald. Brent Murdoch will be on hand to present trophies to championship teams and individuals in the commercial, senior and Strathcona leagues, as well as make awards to those winning events in the city championship tourney.

### STUDENTS BLANKED

Joe Foster's softball club of the senior "B" league downed Chinese Students, 12-0, in an exhibition contest Thursday night to post their second straight pre-season win. They previously defeated Esquimalt Athletics.

FALL RIVER, Mass.—Tony Anthony, 151, New York, knocked out Johnny Brown, 156, New York, 2.

Dave Jons took the odd fall and the main event from Carl Engstrom with his favorite "back-breaker," while Danno McDonald and Red Vagnogne battled to a 45-minute draw in the semi-main, the wildest brawl of the night. It appeared as though McDonald lost either a tooth or some gum during the slugfest. Each grappler had gained one fall at the time limit. Axel Cadier took the one-fall decision over Bronco Lubisch in the special event, polishing the Hungarian off with a leg spin; and Dick Hayes rallied to smear Tarzan Zimba for the decision in the opener.



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1951 MERCURY Pickup	\$650	\$55	1950 METEOR Fordor	\$718	\$45	1946 FORD Coupe	\$375	\$42
1949 MERCURY Fordor	\$680	\$60	1950 METEOR Fordor	\$698	\$46	1951 PONTIAC Hydramatic Sedan	\$1000	\$83
1950 OLDSMOBILE Sedan	\$1000	\$84	1949 HUDSON Sedan	\$640	\$62	1949 METEOR 5-Pass. Coupe	\$600	\$54
1949 PACKARD Sedan	\$760	\$70	1949 MONARCH Sedan	\$640	\$42	1946 BUICK Sedanette	\$600	\$50
1946 PLYMOUTH Sedan	\$440	\$43	1949 MERCURY Fordor	\$450	\$45	1947 BUICK Sedan	\$600	\$50
1947 PLYMOUTH Sedan	\$520	\$45				1950 AUSTIN Sedan	\$480	\$48
1950 PONTIAC Tudor	\$680	\$65						

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## Figures Indicate Expanding Trade

Another indicator of Victoria's for the week ended Thursday upsurge in commercial activity night was \$8,463,357, compared with \$7,483,819 in the same week of 1952.

April's total bank clearings were \$4,500,000 higher than 1952's — \$35,609,570 compared with \$31,138,673.

## SORE BACKS AND BLISTERS

OSHKOSH, Neb. (UP)—Two teen aged boys will probably have sore backs and blistered hands in a couple of weeks. A police magistrate ordered them to deflate tires on police squad cars daily for the next two weeks and then pump them up by hand.

## Manslaughter Charge Unwarranted, Claim

Soldier-Driver Sober, Police Affirm; Counsel Says Lesser Charge Justified

Decision as to whether evidence was sufficient to warrant a soldier truck driver involved in a fatal accident to be sent up for trial on a manslaughter charge has been adjourned to May 7 by Magistrate H. C. Hall.

The adjournment was ordered in the case of Gnr. Douglas K. Vannatter, 22, Toronto, of 129 Battery, Gordon Head Army Camp, after all Crown evidence had been submitted at a preliminary hearing Thursday afternoon in Saanich police court.

Gnr. Vannatter was the driver of a large army jeep which crashed off Gordon Head Road at Ruby Road on the early morning of April 16 to cause fatal injuries to a passenger, Gnr. Archibald M. Cowan, 23, of Elkhorn, Man., of the same battery.

"I wish to consider all the evidence before making a decision," Magistrate Hall said.

### CHARGE UNJUSTIFIED?

Jerry Cross, counsel for accused, said Vannatter should not be committed for trial on a manslaughter charge. "If there is a commitment at all, it should be on a lesser charge," he said. Counsel pointed out the soldier was not intoxicated and at no time had exceeded 40 m.p.h.

Evidence showed that the truck, proceeding north on Gordon Head Road at about 4.15 a.m., went off the highway for 180 feet, collided with a telephone pole guy wire, hit the pole and finished up on its canvas back on Ruby Road.

Cowan's upper body was pinned under the tail-gate on the vehicle, his death due to head injuries, Dr. E. L. McEwen testified. Vannatter was pinned in the front seat, and a torch was required to cut away the drive shaft to release him.

### TWO THROWN CLEAR

Lt. Bdr. Roland Brisebois, with Vannatter in the front seat, and Gnr. Ross Stinson, with Cowan in the back, were thrown clear of the vehicle.

Testimony of the soldiers was that Vannatter's speed was, at the most, between 35-40 m.p.h. Gnr. Stinson said he and the accused had had between six and eight glasses of beer at a downtown club earlier in the night and between one and one-and-a-half bottles of beer on top of Mount Tolmie before heading for camp about five hours later.

Evidence was that the dead soldier was the duty driver of the truck but had consented to allow Vannatter to drive it back to camp. Cowan, with Brisebois, had come to town to pick up Stinson and Vannatter as they had no money left to get back to camp.

Brisebois said Vannatter drove in a sober manner. He said he became aware of a slight

swerve to the left just before the accident and heard Vannatter say "something about there being something wrong with the vehicle."

### POLICE TESTIMONY

Sgt. Jack Hamilton of Saanich police said he could smell no liquor on Vannatter's breath, that he appeared to be quite sober and gave clear answers to questions.

Sgt. Hamilton said he made a test run in a police car at the curve where the truck had gone off the road. "At 35 mph in an ordinary vehicle the curve is hard to take, at 40 it is very dangerous." There was no warning sign to tell of a curve in the road, the officer said.

The sergeant testified the road was rough and only 14 feet wide at that point. He admitted, on being questioned by Mr. Cross, that a vehicle hitting the 12 to 18-inch depression on the left side of the road could go suddenly out of control.

He said "a driver taking that curve at 35 mph and who did not know the road like we do would likely get into trouble," in reply to a question from defense counsel.

## National Soil Fertility Policy Sought by B.C. MP

OTTAWA (CP)—A CCF fruit grower-member of the Commons told Agriculture Minister Gardiner today that soil fertility is Canada's most pressing long-range agricultural problem.

H. W. Herridge, who operates orchards in the Kootenay West constituency of British Columbia, said there should be a national policy to promote soil fertility and proper farming practices.

He praised the work of Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration officers on the Prairies and said provisions of that act should be applied across Canada.

He said farmers might be given income tax exemptions for amounts they spend in conservation projects to increase fertility.

## Troops Had To Be Told How to Laugh

TORONTO (BUP)—Comedians Johnny Wayne and Frank Shuster, home from entertaining Canadian troops in Korea, said today the men have been getting so little entertainment they had to put on a show describing the proper way to laugh.

Shuster said they had to come home to find out what had been going on in the war. The soldiers hear little about world developments.

### TRIP FOR HARRISON

Mayor Claude Harrison will attend the 100th anniversary celebrations of Bellingham, Wash., on Saturday.

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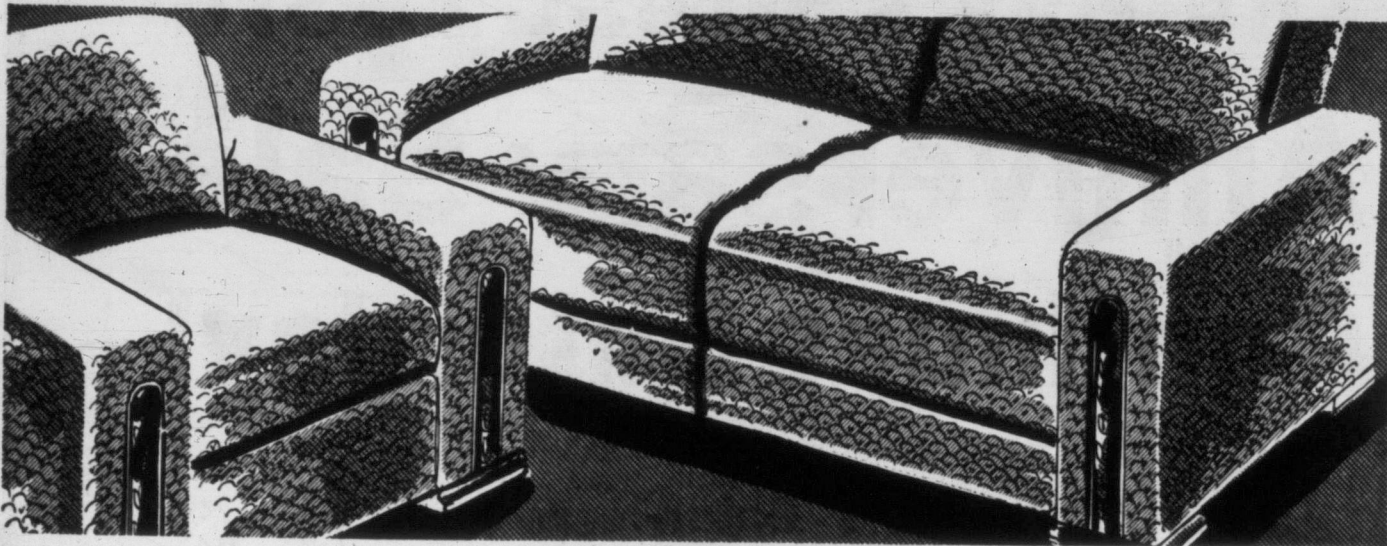
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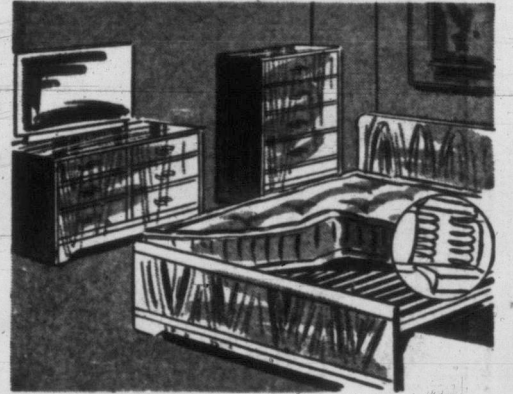
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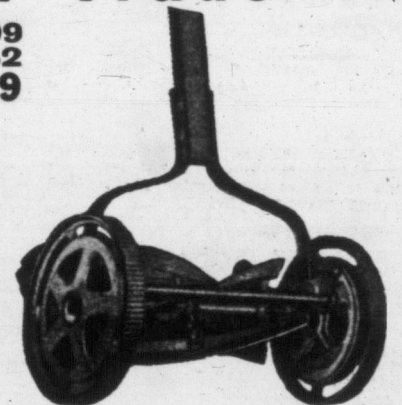
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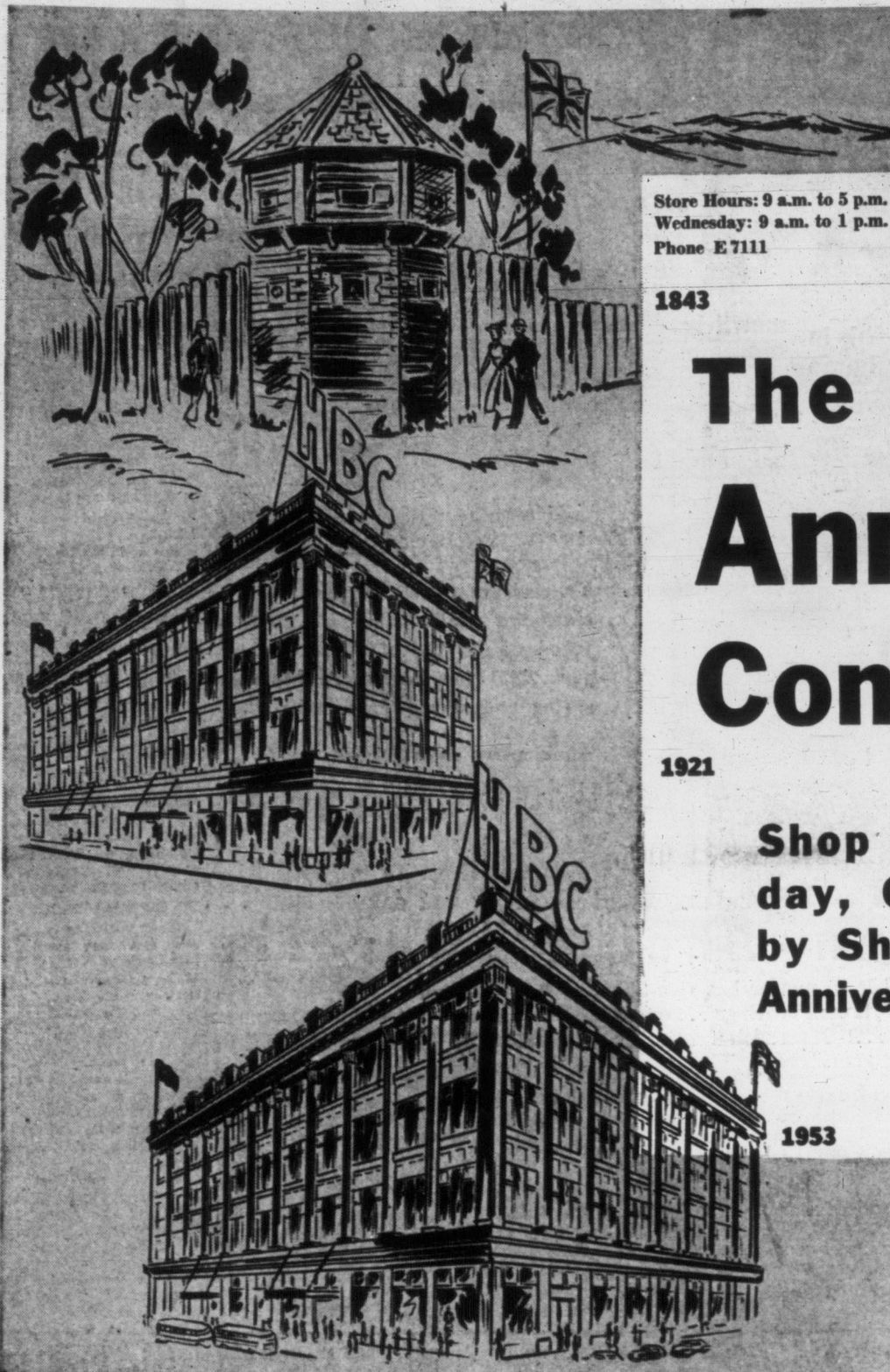


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## BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

The long arm of coincidence is really stretching itself these days.

In yesterday's Times was a letter from Mrs. Barney Blakey, the LPP (Communist) candidate in the provincial elections. Wrote Mrs. Blakey:

"We believe the people of B.C. want to see the province develop an all-round economy—not become a supplier of raw materials and semi-processed articles to American industry. That is why the Labor-Progressive party is putting forward the slogan . . . 'Put the people's interests first—stop the sellout to U.S. monopolies.'"

The coincidence, of course, is that the Moscow party line aims at bringing about a breach in the Canada-U.S. partnership.

If and when the Russian line changes, there will no doubt be another coincidental change in the LPP slogan.

This is, I am told, a free country, so there's no reason why Communists shouldn't run candidates in the election. But there's also no reason why any sane person should vote for them.

Reading over my shoulder, the dog Punch points out that all sane persons will vote for him.

"I am the ideal candidate to run for election," he states. "I can run 100 yards in seven seconds."

"What other candidate can make that statement?"

A. E. Grauer, president of the B.C. Electric, says Victoria "may yet get" natural gas.

We should take immediate steps to establish import duties to protect our native product.

The manufacturers are planning new television sets with a button which, when pressed, will register a vote of "yes" or "no."

What the TV set really needs is a button which, when pressed, registers "braaaaaaakkkk!"

Ald. Don Smith is concerned about whether Mayor Harrison's offer to share his "twin salaries" as mayor and MLA with the citizens is legal.

There seem to be a couple of other points to clear up first. (a) Will the mayor be an MLA after June 9? (b) Will the mayor be a mayor after December?

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

City detectives have been asked to try to locate a man by the name of Maxwell Dyson. His whereabouts is sought by his daughter, Mrs. Kyle Momborg, Box 1303, Cut Bank, Montana. She said she had not seen her father since she was four and heard about 10 years ago he was working in Victoria.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Mr. Dyson is asked to contact the detective office.

A smoker will be held for members of the Britannia Branch No. 7 of the Canadian Legion in the men's lounge next Thursday at 7:45 p.m.

Mrs. Lydia Arsens, William Chant and Percy Wright, Victoria's three Social Credit candidates, will address a public meeting at 8 p.m., Monday, at Newstead Hall, 734 Fort Street.

Merland T. Atkinson, 248 Glenair Drive, convicted on a charge of careless driving, was fined \$35 in city police court today by Magistrate H. C. Hall. His car was in collision with another car at Montreal and Quebec Streets April 9, evidence showed.

Plea for leniency of a man who had been picked up drunk on the city streets failed to win him sympathy from Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today.

"I've got to go to the dentist today and get all my teeth out. They were to blame for my trouble, causing my stomach to bother me. And I only had two drinks, that's all."

"You'll be fine \$10 or three days in jail," Magistrate Hall said.

Miss Mildred Williams, public health nurse with the city health department, will give the lecture and show a film on baby feeding.

A series of ten weekly meetings are held for mothers-to-be.

## Canada Future In Safe Hands Says Foulkes

The future leadership of Canada's armed forces is in good hands, according to Lieut.-Gen. Charles Foulkes, chairman of the Chiefs of Staff committee, who was inspecting officer at the Canadian Services College graduation ceremonies at Royal Roads Thursday.

After inspecting the 65 graduating cadets, the high-ranking army officer stated: "If what I have seen is an example of the training received, we need have no fears regarding our future leadership."

He paid tribute to the accomplishment of the staff of the college, and the achievements of the cadets, who recorded the highest academic standing of the college since it was reopened shortly after the Second World War.

The graduation parade was commanded by Cadet Wing Commander James R. Standen of Mimico, and was attended by a large number of top officers in the three services, relatives and friends of the graduates, and invited guests.

A protest over the \$100 annual license fee for automatic vending machines, dispensing items over the value of five cents, was received at City Hall today.

Lorne Lewis, 1213 Clovelly Terrace, dealer in the Victoria area for a coffee dispensing machine company suggested a fee of \$25. He said other cities in Canada did not exceed \$25 for similar licenses.

Baby feeding will be the subject of the eighth lecture in a parentcraft class series sponsored by the Victoria Order of Nurses Monday afternoon at 2 in the YWCA.

A number of proficiency awards will be presented to members of the 89th Squadron (Kinsmen), RCAF Air Cadets, during an inspection tonight at 7:30 at Macaulay Point camp. Air Commodore W. A. Orr of Vancouver will be inspecting officer.

Harley Chermas of Chemainus will speak on "The Road to Happiness" at a public lecture of the Theosophical Society on Monday at 8 p.m. at 904 Government Street.

Five C's of the City Cricket Association will play an exhibition match against a team from St. Wairuna at Beacon Hill Park Saturday at 2:30. Members of the ship's crew are New Zealanders. They requested the Times to help arrange the match.

Violation of a driver's license restriction by failing to wear adequate eyeglasses while driving, cost Gerald R. Beckerton-Coultais, 1626 Rockland, a \$25 fine in city police court today. He pleaded guilty to the charge.

## DRAMA FESTIVAL

(Continued from Page 1)

Governor-General Vincent Massey heads the list of distinguished personages coming to the festival. He will personally present prizes to festival winners at a luncheon Sunday, May 10, at the Empress Hotel. Two hundred and fifty people will attend this luncheon. Members of the public wishing to attend will be given an opportunity to purchase tickets.

First Dominion Drama Festival was staged in 1933. The Earl of Bessborough, who was then Canada's Governor-General, pushed the idea and was largely responsible for finding financial backers.

For the first five years, the festival was staged in Ottawa, in a little theatre seating only 400.

This is the first time Victoria has had the honor of playing host to the festival. Officials say it may be another 10 or 15 years before the festival returns to B.C.

Other Canadian cities have already submitted bids to be host to the festival for the next three years.

Last year, the festival was staged in St. John, N.B., a city of some 75,000. Total attendance at the week-long festival there ran to 12,000.



## Square Dance Team Aims for Northwest Honors

Mount View High square dance team, that won both high school and open classes in square dancing section of folk dancing competition in Victoria Music Festival, left for mainland today to compete in annual Pacific North-

west Teen Town square dance festival Saturday in White Rock. Team, directed by Ernest E. Livesey, won Vancouver Island Teen Town championship in Ladysmith in March. Party will travel via Nanaimo in four-car caravan.



## Participating in Musical Festival

Among competitors in Greater Victoria Musical Festival class for clarinet trios today were, left to right, Dick Pearce, Helen Kermode and Kenney Walters.

## City to Dress In Gay Colors For Coronation

### Murdoch Discloses Decoration Plans

Victoria will be gaily decked with pennants, banners and flags for Coronation Day, June 2, according to plans announced by Ald. Brent Murdoch today.

At the same time, the alderman who is chairman of the city's street lighting and decorations committee appealed to merchants to decorate to "ground-level" locations.

The city has allocated \$2,000 for purchase of decorations. These will include some 2,200 pennants—80 mixed strings, containing 25 to 30 pennants each.

Five "Long Live the Queen" banners will be suspended across streets at strategic spots. There will be 40 shields and six window banners to be hung in front of civic buildings such as City Hall, the public library, police and fire stations.

All the city's decorations, however, will be of an overhead nature and will be placed in connection with the colored light strings across downtown streets.

Store fronts, streets and sidewalks and curbs will be left free for merchants to decorate as they see fit, the committee has agreed.

"We would like all the merchants to decorate their sections of street," said Ald. Murdoch.

## Musical Festival Finale At First United Tonight

By AUDREY S.T.D. JOHNSON

A grand concert tonight at First United Church will wind up the eight-day Greater Victoria Musical Festival with an exciting climax in which top awards will be made and some outstanding performances heard.

Ruth Champion, winner of her mezzo soprano class and the operatic finals, will possibly be included as a competitor for one of the major trophies.

Senior piano finals will be adjudicated with Diane DeMotte, Portland, and Lorraine Brand, Joanne Dawson and Lorna Stuart competing.

Three competitors will sing for the B.C. Electric Company rose bowl contest, and three outstanding pianists will be heard vying for the City of Victoria medallion.

One of the highlights of the evening will be the contest in which Victoria's famous Meistersingers will be pitted against the Victoria Masonic Choir.

The senior Victoria High School orchestra will open the program at 8 o'clock following.

## School System's Attackers Held Menace by CCF-er

Danger of attacks on B.C.'s free public school system, the "basis of democracy," was pointed out by Frank Snowsell at a meeting of the Sidney CCF Club Thursday night.

The CCF candidate for Saanich said that free education and free government go hand in hand.

He accused Premier Bennett of using his eight weeks in office to force an election, instead of passing legislation in the interests of the people.

## Five Victorians Win National Scholarships

Five Victoria students have been awarded to Alan L. Orr-Ewing, 1032 Victoria, to study at the University of British Columbia.

Garth Jones, 21, son of Stanley Jones, 1407 Lang, UBC graduate this year, has been awarded a \$600 bursary to further his studies in electronics at UBC in the fall.

Other \$600 bursaries for study at UBC were won by Miss C. J. Cameron and Donald G. Irvine, both UBC graduates.

## Socreds May Expell Mayor's Supporters

### DOG ROBBER LEFT TAG BEHIND HIM

Saanich poundman Tom Sinclair did not have any trouble in tracking down a canine "criminal" Thursday—it had left its identity at the scene of the crime in the form of a dog tag.

The dog broke into the rabbit and chicken pens of Stan Hunt, 239 Regina, Wednesday night and killed 25 show rabbits and nine bantams. Mr. Hunt was preparing to enter nine of the rabbits in the B.C. Products Fair.

During the dog's pillaging he lost his tag. It was found hooked to the wire in the pens. Through the number on the tag Mr. Sinclair traced the dog and owner, said to be a city man.

"Mr. Hunt and the dog-owner are getting together on the matter now," the poundman said.

### MISINTERPRETED

## Baptist Denies India-Antipathy To Missionary

By HUMPHREY DAVY

A recent report from India that Christian missionaries are not wanted in that country was wrongly interpreted in Canada, according to the Rev. A. Gordon, a Baptist missionary visiting Canada.

Mr. Gordon, who has just returned to Canada from India where he lived for 40 years, said the report alluded to "independent evangelists" who do not belong to any recognized religious denomination.

Some of these people, though well meaning, have no regard for the feelings of the people among whom they work, he said.

"The government of India looks upon some of these evangelists as disturbing factors," he said. "It doesn't want them."

Mr. Gordon, who saw great changes take place in India, and who once served as a mayor of a small Indian town composed of a mixed Hindu and Mohammedan population, described the people as "lovable."

They make wonderful and true friends," he said.

The missionary, however, was perturbed by the growth of Communism in India. He blamed corruption in the government for the increase in Communism.

### LOST FAITH

"Many people have lost faith in their government and have turned to Communism," he said. "The state of affairs is so bad that some people wish the British back. Of course this is an impossibility."

When asked if the West could learn something from the philosophy of the East, Mr. Gordon said "we could learn something with regard to the devotional attitude of the Indian people."

"The Indian people have the philosophy but they don't apply it," he said. "They are impractical."

Mr. Gordon, who was a friend of Mahatma Gandhi, said the reformer's chief weakness was his complete lack of "practicability."

## Doorman Beaten While Protecting Odeon Usherettes

William Harris, doorman at the Odeon Theatre, sustained a cut lip and abrasions in a fight with an unidentified sailor and civilian late Thursday night when he went to the assistance of two usherettes.

City police said the fight started when Mr. Harris blocked the pair trying to interfere with the girls when they were leaving the theatre. The men were gone on the arrival of police.

Officers searched the downtown section and picked up a sailor who fitted the description given them but Mr. Harris was unable to identify the man as one of his attackers.



ALD. DON SMITH  
... "no two masters"



ALD. BRENT MURDOCH  
... "wet-nursed mayor"



ARTHUR BISHOP  
... "can be expelled"

## Can't Serve Two Masters, Smith Warns

Ald. Brent Murdoch and Arthur H. Bishop, who are supporting Independent Mayor Claude L. Harrison in the June 9 election, face expulsion from the Social Credit Party, Ald. Don Smith said today.

His statement came as a fair-sized row appeared to be shaping up between opposing factions on the City Council.

Ald. Smith described Ald. Murdoch as the person who "wet-nursed Mayor Harrison through his latest political blunders."

Ald. Smith, a defeated Socred candidate last June who failed to get a nomination this year, said Ald. Murdoch and Mr. Bishop can be expelled from the Social Credit party as soon as they make their first public move in support of the mayor.

He said they must turn in their Social Credit membership cards if they want to campaign for Mayor Harrison because the party's constitution makes it mandatory for Social Crediters to sever all connections with other political parties.

### NO TWO MASTERS

"They can't serve two parties, and they should know that," said Ald. Smith.

The alderman also turned a fiery eye on Mayor Harrison who Thursday said he would, if elected to the Legislature, allocate one of his salaries for the city's good.

"This statement is ridiculous, and such an act would be illegal," said Ald. Smith. "By offering his salary to the voters he would, in effect, be bribing them."

He considered it about time the mayor showed a little respect for the high office he holds, he said.

Ald. Smith recalled Mayor Harrison promised the civic voters in his 1951 election campaign he would give full time to the mayorality.

If he held both offices, he'd be breaking his promise to Victoria voters, said Ald. Smith.

He also criticized the mayor for publicly supporting Percy Wright, assistant city clerk and city Socred candidate and then running as an "independent" against both Wright and the government.

## Drydock Company Set To Fight Damage Suit

Burrard Drydock Company Ltd., North Vancouver, has decided to go to the Supreme Court of Canada with an appeal against a \$21,384 judgment brought against it last October by Mr. Justice J. M. Coady in B.C. Supreme Court.

B.C. Court of Appeal, which upheld the Supreme Court judgment in a decision handed down last month, today gave its consent to having the case referred to the higher court.

Application for leave to appeal was made by John L. Farris, QC, whose father, Senator J. W. deB. Farris, was unsuccessful in having B.C. Court of Appeal set aside the order.

The judgment is in favor of two-steamship companies—Canadian Union Line Limited and Union Steamship Company of New Zealand Ltd. The judgment was made to compensate them for a \$21,384 order which Mr. Justice Coady earlier made against them in favor of Australian Newsprint Mills Limited, a firm in Tasmania.

DAMAGE AT SEA  
The newsprint firm brought action against the two steamship lines when 13,418 bales of unbleached sulphite wood pulp was spoiled by sea water while in transit between B.C. and Tasmania. The court held that the newsprint company's claim was justified.

After that, the two steamship companies brought suit against the Burrard company, claiming it was really to blame because the sea water got into the ship because a Burrard workman had been negligent and had failed to tighten a storm valve after

## ASK THE TIMES

Q. Which is the capital of Holland—The Hague or Amsterdam?—L.H.

A. Amsterdam. Although The Hague is the official residence of the Queen and the seat of her government, Amsterdam is the sole capital and the inauguration of the ruler—in accordance with the country's constitution—is held there.

Q. Is it true that the Russians on invading Germany destroyed the original scores of some of Beethoven's music?—Mrs. D.B.

A. Whether or not they destroyed it is not known, but Beethoven's score of his Ninth Symphony was preserved in Berlin before the Second World War. It disappeared when the Russians entered the city and is now catalogued as "missing."

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest.



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GARTH JONES



D. G. IRVINE



## New Inexpensive Cosmetics Recently Introduced Here

By PENNY SAVER

A new line of inexpensive cosmetics has been introduced here recently. It comes in good shades and is pleasantly scented. Large size lipsticks, there are 10 shades to choose from, cost 59 cents. Cake make-up, liquid foundation and powder come in five skin tones and also sell for 59 cents. Creme rouge is 49 cents. Cold cream, vanishing cream and dry skin cream come in two-size jars for 39 or 59 cents. Other items such as wave set, talcum powder and skin lotion by the same cosmetician are to be found on the counter.

Recent arrivals in Victoria include a group of colorful plastic planters in the forms of futuristic horses, giraffes, and deer. And aren't they cute! Their colors are most eye-catching and their shapes really delightful. They would add a very gay touch to a sun room and, as they can either stand on their own slim legs or hang on the wall, they could be used effectively to decorate a tiny child's room or to encourage an older youngster to tend some small house plants. Priced at \$1.49 each.

The paper companies seem to be on a "save-the-hostess" campaign and the results are something to talk about. For instance those sets of matching guest towels and napkins—they come in such attractive designs and each set comprises 25 cocktail napkins, 25 standard size napkins and 25 paper towels—all for \$1.50. Then there are the coasters that are absorbent and have a waxed under surface. They are done in white with pink elephants or red roosters or green fish and cost \$1.25 for a box of 30. Any of these make nice gifts for someone, you know.

Something appealing in Coronation souvenirs are small felt dolls made and dressed to resemble the "beef eater"; a hardy Scot, and a Buckingham Palace guard, complete with busbie. They really are beautifully done and should please persons of any age. Each figure is about four inches high and costs \$1.25.

## WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Want a Rhytidectomy?  
It Means Face Lifting

The technical name for face lifting is rhytidectomy. This means literally, to cut out wrinkles.

Every woman past 40 would love to have the firm contours of youth again. However, plas-

tic surgeons turn down about seven out of every 10 women who request this operation, because, unlike other cosmetic plastic surgery operations, this one is impermanent.

The result lasts only about five years. Although the operation may be repeated, after the second face lifting operation there is danger of a masklike appearance, with a widening of the mouth. The skin can only stretch so far.

This is one reason for the reservation with which many plastic surgeons regard rhytidectomy. Also, this operation cannot be successfully performed on every face. There must be a sufficient relaxation of tissues or the operation will make little change in appearance. It is most successful when there are excessive wrinkles and an abundance of redundant (loose) skin.

Many laymen have heard about this operation which they think of as "the ear job." In this operation the surgeon makes a curving incision around the ear and pulls the skin taut. Healing usually takes about six days. In two weeks' time the regular make-up. The black and blue marks resulting from bruises usually disappear within two weeks.

This is performed under a local anaesthetic and is done at a hospital. A pressure dressing is used over the entire face and the patient remains in the hospital three or four days.

Not long ago one middle-aged woman from the west came to the office of a well-known plastic surgeon in the east. She wished to have her face lifted and the surgeon would have liked to do it for her because she had the perfect type face for a successful face-lifting. Her skin was loose and sagging in an extreme way.

Her husband came east with her and was very much opposed to the operation. When the woman in question was told that the effect would not be permanent she and her husband talked it over and decided against it. So she returned to her western home a wiser and happier (who can say?) woman.

This series reflects the consensus of opinion of many plastic surgeons. If you are considering plastic surgery it is most essential that you select a highly competent surgeon.

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## OF PERSONAL INTEREST

### 'Open House' for Delegates

Delegates to the sixth annual scientific convention of the British Columbia Surgical Society will forget the more serious business of meetings on Saturday afternoon to join their wives at an "open house" at which Dr. Thomas McPherson and Mrs. McPherson will entertain in their home on Esquimalt Road.

### For New Vicarage

A tea and shower of house furnishings and groceries was held Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wyper, Cordova Bay Road. Endowing the new vicarage recently acquired by the congregation of St. David's-by-the-Sea, the affair was sponsored by the Altar Guild.

Mrs. E. Mackinot presided at the tea table and Mrs. J. Kidson, Mrs. T. C. Brown, Mrs. Morgan Hobbs and Miss F. O. Lewis assisted in serving.

The vicarage was open to guests who were shown through by Mr. Wyper and Mr. Kidson. The new incumbent, Rev. D. C. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. O'Connell and their family, will arrive from Ocean Falls, May 4, to take up his duties.

### Party for Bernice Perfect

Mrs. C. Mellis Mair is entertaining tomorrow at the tea hour at her home, 2533 Killarney Place, in honor of Miss Bernice Perfect, who leaves in the middle of the month for London, where she will represent the girls of greater Victoria schools at the Coronation ceremonies. Mrs. R. D. Bennett will preside at the tea table, which will be centred with a large white pottery bowl of red and white tulips and cream-colored candles in wrought-iron holders. Mrs. R. Chard and Mrs. John Roe will act as serviteurs. Miss Perfect will be presented with a bon voyage gift of nylon lingerie from her hostess and those attending the party.

Among guests will be Mrs. H. E. Perfect, mother of the guest of honor; Mrs. R. D. Bennett, Mrs. Bruce Cragg, Mrs. W. Cameron, Mrs. R. Chard, Mrs. John Roe, Mrs. F. Earthy, Mrs. R. Buntin, Mrs. A. E. Millhouse, Mrs. L. Lovitt, Mrs. A. E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Forster and Mrs. G. F. Amyot.

### Visitors From Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Welsh and son, Michael, formerly of Montreal, have been guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Welsh, 77 Moss Street, and are at present spending some time with Mrs. Welsh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor at Fulford Harbor, Salt Spring Island, before leaving for Calgary, where they will make their home in the future.

## Fights Lewd Literature

Members of Catholic Women's League gathered at Catholic Chinese Mission Thursday to hear an address presented by Mrs. Fred Drake, Regina, national president of the league.

Mrs. Drake, who is campaigning vigorously against sale of indecent literature, described the context of a brief which she presented on behalf of the CWL to a special committee of the Canadian Senate on sale and distribution of salacious and indecent literature.

The brief attacks the "inadequate protection accorded Canadian children in the face of the ever-increasing tide of salacious and obscene reading matter alluringly thrust upon them despite efforts of conscientious parents."

In the face of the proven fact that the hand that rocks the cradle rules the world, the degrading of women by the use of lewd and undignified pictorial matter showing semi-nude poses is an evil and destructive medium which is exerting its influence on children and young adults. Remedial action should come from all groups of citizens, who must work together to co-operate in solving this problem, she said.

First action should be to refuse to purchase any book or magazine which describes or depicts crime action, or anything even suggestive of obscenity. Censorship was another

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## AS WE LIVE

### Divorcee About to Marry Conceals Fact of Daughter

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, PhD

Entering marriage with a lie on one's lips is a great folly. This young man who is contemplating marriage should know the full truth now. That is what I am advising the author of this letter:

(Q.) "The son of my very dear friend is 32 years old. He is a quiet chap, a regular homebody, and a good worker. He is now going with a divorced woman who is 47. He says she is a good, kind, and understanding person. He knows she has been divorced but says she had no children. People who know her say she has a 17-year-old daughter who lives with her grandmother. He has been told this but doesn't believe it because the mother of this girl has denied it. People are surprised at her and pity him. Will she always be able to hold on to her lie?"

(A.) It is very wrong of this woman to lie to the man she hopes to marry. She cannot keep it a secret indefinitely that she has a teenage child because, if something should happen to her own mother, the child would have to leave the latter's house and come home to live until she was married or had reached the age of legal maturity.

Even if the grandmother should live and should be able to keep the girl with her, the fact that people know there is a daughter will mean that your friend's son will find it out sooner or later.

The girl's mother is unquestionably trying to hide the fact that she has a daughter much too old for the man she wants to marry for fear that his knowing would ruin her chances. This is a very short-sighted policy.

If your friend does not know about the daughter, you tell her. Then let her use her judgment as to what is the best way to handle this matter with her son.

Elizabeth Hurlock is a consulting psychologist. Write her in care of this newspaper for free advice.



Hurlock

## OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton C. Hughes have returned to their home, Leigh Road, Langford Lake, after spending a holiday in Honolulu and in California, where they visited relatives.

Mr. Blair Little is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Little, 3017 Quadra Street, for a few days. Mr. Little, who has recently completed examinations at University of British Columbia, will join the Hudson's Bay Company on his return to Vancouver, having been awarded a summer scholarship by the company. A commissioned pilot officer, Mr. Little is attached to 442 Auxiliary Fighter Squadron, RCAF, Sea Island.

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For Hospital — One hundred and thirteen articles were completed. It was reported by sewing convener, Mrs. R. Hallas, at meeting of Women's Auxiliary, Royal Jubilee Hospital, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. W. G. Crawford presided and plans were made for the annual garden fete in mid-July.

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Cadet Wing Cmdr. J. R. Standen, Toronto, Ont., and his partner, Miss Belinda McConnell, at back, assisted in receiving guests at the ball, with Col. C. B. Ware, commandant of the college. Miss Shirley Nutter and Cadet Ervin Sande, Jasper, Alta., front, attended the ball together.



Also among graduates was, left to right, Cadet Jack Swayne, Smith Falls, Ont., with Miss Tannis Carlson; Cadet Douglas Hardwick, Oakville, Ont., with Miss June Graham, and Cadet Christopher Smith, Bermuda, with Miss Barbara Rose.

## Ball Climaxes Royal Roads Graduation

Climax of graduation ceremonies at Royal Roads on Thursday was the cadet ball. Dancing took place on the quarter-deck of the cadet block decorated for the occasion in an exciting Hawaiian motif. Around the oak-panelled walls were silhouettes of hula maids, palm trees and tropical fish. A replica of Waikiki beach, complete with silver sand, colorful shells and fish nets was arranged in one corner and dancers descended to the quarter-deck at either end of the floor through the doorways of miniature grass shacks.

A tropical moon floated in a star-lit sky behind the orchestra dais where a banner with the word "Aloha" in fresh flowers created an exotic effect. Through courtesy of Commodore Kenneth Dwyer, the RCN dance band, dressed in summer whites, played the music.

Gunny rooms, also decorated in the Hawaiian motif, were arranged as sitting-out rooms. Supper was served to cadets in the main dining room of the cadet block, while senior officers, special guests and parents were served in the reception lounge at The Castle, flood-lit for the occasion.

Soft lights also illuminated the cadet block and shone on the college pennant floating gently above the block. Colored lights twinkling in the trees on either side of the stone stairway connecting the cadet block and the castle added a final note to a picture that members of the graduating class will no doubt remember for many years.

## Shower for Miss Edwards

Miss Audrey Price and Miss Bessie Riddell entertained at the latter's home, 1337 Rockland Avenue, at a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Hattie Edwards, whose marriage takes place this month. Gifts were presented to the bride-elect in a basket gaily decorated in red and white and topped with a corsage of red camellias. Mrs. A. Wilkinson presided at the refreshment table which was covered with a lace cloth and centred with a bowl of red tulips and white candles in silver holders. Those attending the party were Mrs. V. Courtney, Mrs. G. Ashby, Mrs. E. Edwards, Mrs. G. Hughes, Mrs. T. Price, Mrs. R. Price, Mrs. R. Whellams, Mrs. E. Stark, Mrs. M. Stewart, Mrs. M. Young, Misses Mary Baird, E. Clark, Alvira Collins, Jean Fraser, Jean McTaggart, Florence McConnell and Jean Wilkinson.

## PTA NOTES

**Royal Oak**—Business to be dealt with at Royal Oak Elementary PTA will include reports of Kiondike night committee and of the provincial convention. Meeting will be held in the school on Monday at 8.

**Cordova Bay**—A talk was given by Colin Graham, curator, Arts Centre of Greater Victoria, to members of Cordova Bay PTA. He outlined uses, aims and hopes of the centre. The speaker pointed out that children express themselves through the medium of art, inclining to create rather than imitate. L. Schmelz gave a summary of the provincial convention.



Graduating cadets included Cadet G. E. Van Sickle, St. Catharines, Ont., left, and Miss Kathleen Collis, and Cadet J. Harwood, Hamilton, Ont., with Miss May Inglis.



Leading Cadet Robert John Wark, Kingston, Ont., attended the ball with Miss "Sunny" Wyatt. His mother, Mrs. T. D. K. Rooney, came from Ontario for the graduating ceremonies.

## CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

**Council Formed**—Constitutional council of women's auxiliaries was formed at a meeting of all groups of the Oak Bay Social Credit Women's Auxiliary held at the home of Mrs. C. Rice-Jones, 2181 McNeil Avenue, Mrs. J. R. Pipes is president; Mrs. W. Stanbury, first vice-president; Mrs. B. Bell-Chambers, secretary; Mrs. C. G. Alexander, treasurer. Plans were made for a tea in honor of Mrs. Einar Gunderson, wife of the Oak Bay Social Credit candidate, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Haynes, 1370 Oliver Street, on May 13, from 3 to 6, with Mrs. Stanbury the convener. Special guests at the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson.

Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 1, meeting K. of P. Hall, Monday at 8.

Rockland Park WCTU, at home of Mrs. G. Ralston, 1256 Acton Street, Monday at 2.30.

St. Louis College Mothers' Club monthly meeting at college Monday at 8.

## Beta Sigma Phi Marks Founding With Banquet

"The right to be useful," sentence in the pledge repeated by Mrs. Doris Faryon, president of City Council, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, at Founder's Day banquet in the Silver Slipper Hall, Thursday evening, was shown by succeeding speakers to be more than words.

Reminiscing on the growth of the sorority in Victoria, Mrs. Kitty Cameron spoke of help given for a mobile kitchen and blood plasma clinic during the war and works of chapters in many phases of social service. First chapter, Zeta, was formed here in 1941, she said with 24 members. Today there are five chapters and a co-ordinating city council.

Last night's banquet marked 22nd anniversary of the organization of the sorority in Kansas City, Mo. It was followed by the colorful Ritual of the Jewels, conducted by Mrs. Faryon, in which pledges entering chapters last fall were taken into full membership following six months' preliminary training.

Seated at the head table with Mrs. Faryon were Mrs. Nancy Hodges, honorary member of International chapter; Mrs. Maude Gordon, council program councillor; Mrs. L. R. Nicholson, Mrs. Edna Ryan, Mrs. R. Wootton and Mrs. Maude Smith, social sponsors of Alpha Zeta, Omicron, Xi and Zeta chapters; Mrs. Thelma Johns, council social convener; Miss Vera Waller, Mrs. Lillian Jones, Mrs. Lynn Richards and Miss Margaret Creasey, presidents of Zeta Beta, Zeta, Alpha Zeta and Xi chapters, and Miss Beverly McRae, vice-president of Omicron.

## Play Groups Meet

G. M. Kirkpatrick, director of a child guidance clinic in Vancouver, spoke on "Role of Play Groups in the Mental Hygiene Program" at meeting of Vancouver Island Co-operative Playgroup Association, Wednesday evening. Father of four children—three of whom are playgroup members—and a counsellor of many young children under provincial government ward, Dr. Kirkpatrick said basic factors leading to delinquency were broken homes, lack of affection, prolonged separation from mothers, school tensions, poverty, malnutrition and home conflicts. "Through playgroup participation, not only are emotional disturbances prevented but the child is able to lead a more enriched and fuller life," the speaker said.

## Callettes' Tea

Miss Isabelle Couper, president, is convener of the annual spring tea to be given by the "Callettes" of St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society on Saturday from 2.30 to 4.30 in K. of P. Hall, 723 Cormorant Street. Mrs. W. Bowman is in charge of tickets and Mesdames J. Marrs and G. Gunniss will look after a home-cooking stall, with Mrs. J. Smith in charge of refreshments.

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## Island Festival Plays Praised

DUNCAN — Roth Gordon, word of praise Thursday for W. Vancouver, adjudicator of the Carpenter, Lake Cowichan high school student, the first male Drama Festival, had a special actor in any of the first five

plays he has so far judged. Carpenter appeared in "Sunday Costs Five Pesos," a lively romantic play by Josephina Niggli.

Mr. Gordon had praise also for Patricia Whittaker, Youbou, for outstanding acting in the same production.

He commended the group work in the entry of Queen Margaret's School, "The Magic Chest," the story of Pandora's box.

The festival opened Wednesday with three Cowichan High School entries. "One Morning Very Early," a sentimental comedy; "Miracle at Blaise," drama, and "The Mother Part," farce. Tonight the audience will see "Number 10," by Cowichan High School, and two Duncan Elementary School plays, "The Sentimental Scarecrow" and "The Stolen Prince."

The festival will close Saturday with an honor performance of three plays.

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LONDON (CP)—Jean La croix, wartime French resistance agent, who worked with Allied intelligence, has left the British Broadcasting Corporation for a position in the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's Montreal staff. He was landed behind German lines by plane numerous times.

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## Rubinstein Stirs Audience Emotions

By AUDREY S.T.D. JOHNSON

The term—"master of his instrument"—is so often used loosely that one hesitates to apply it in most cases.

Yet what other term is there for such an extraordinary display of virtuosic pianism as was heard Thursday night, when Arthur Rubinstein played at the Royal Theatre before a more-than-capacity audience that had piled up six rows deep on the stage?

It seemed there was no limit to the effects of which the great artist was capable. It seemed also that a program largely drawn from the more familiar section of the piano repertoire could bring forth few surprises to inveterate concert-goers.

Yet, take for example the A flat major Polonaise of Chopin; how seldom such fire, such great, rolling masses of sound have surged from the piano; how seldom such vivid contrasts of color have been achieved! There was a rare texture and dimensional quality to this, seldom encompassed.

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## St. John's Church Group to Repeat Biblical Drama

A repeat performance of the biblical play "A Dream of Queen Esther" will be given by St. John's Anglican Young People's Association at the Memorial Hall, Christ Church Cathedral tonight at 8.

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## B.C. Ballets Draw Praise in Festival

OTTAWA (CP)—The British Columbia Ballet Company showed two new works Thursday night, fourth of the Canadian ballet festival, and both were well received by a capacity audience of 500 in the Ottawa Little Theatre.

The ballets were Lenard Gibson's "Gershwin Preludes" and Mara McBirney's "Variations."

The evening's three other performances were repeated from earlier programs—"Suite" and "Theme Primeval" by Toronto's Janet Baldwin group, and "Les Valses" by the Classical Ballet of Ottawa.

The Ottawa Citizen critic, Lauretta Thistle, described the choreography in "Gershwin Preludes" by Gibson as "spare, at times fiery, and vital without being angular." She said the company danced well "though not with the ultimate projection which could make this a stunning little work."

The critic found "considerably less precision" in the dancing of the B.C. company's "Variations." She said many of the dancers were off in their timing, but "one of those who was distinctly 'on' was Marie

Andrews, who did her solo with considerable style."

The Ottawa Journal critic, Richard Coates, found the B.C. company "well-trained and disciplined. . . . The dancers have a general competence and attack which makes their dancing exciting to watch." He said the solo dancing of Ray Moller "provides some of the best male dancing so far at the festival."

Both writers praised the costumes by Sheila O'Neill, 17-year-old Vancouver artist.

## HE HAD PLENTY OF SUPPORT

CLEVELAND, O. (UP)—Detectives searched under beds, in closets and all over a residence here but failed to find Edward Brown, wanted for non-support.

As they were about to leave one detective noticed a sag in one of the beds. He found Brown hanging onto the springs, clear of the floor.

"I was just resting," he said.

## 'Ti Coq' Named Best Film At Canadian Art Festival

MONTREAL (CP)—Gratien Gelinas' "Ti Coq," which, as a play, had prolonged runs in both English and French in Canada and a brief run on Broadway, Thursday night was awarded two first prizes as a motion picture at the Canadian film awards festival.

"Ti Coq" was named the film of the year and also topped the theatrical feature length division. The film was produced and directed by Gelinas, popularly known as Fridolin, in

Montreal, who also starred in the title role.

The national film board took three first prizes. "Shyness" was tops in the non-theatrical, government-sponsored group. "Antogee," a story of an Eskimo boy from infancy to childhood, was first in the non-theatrical open class and "L'Homme aux Oiseaux" was first in the theatrical shorts class.

In the non-theatrical, non-government-sponsored group,

## TAKES ALONG HIS OWN BEER

CAPETOWN (UP)—Chief Sophuza II of Swaziland, sailed today on the Winchester Castle to attend Queen Elizabeth's coronation. He was given permission to bring his own beer made from kaffir corn.

"Immediate Action," the story of the Toronto stock exchange, by Crawley Films, Ltd., of Ottawa, was first.

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## Agriculture Stockpile Detailed

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons Thursday night got the latest box score on the government's stockpile of agricultural products. It included a chunky 19,000,000-pound load of last year's butter.

Reviewing the government's holdings at April 25, Agriculture Minister Gardiner also listed 71,168,000 pounds of canned pork, 20,700,000 pounds of beef, 4,379,000 pounds of dried skim milk, 39 live cattle and 14 calves.

These were products purchased by the government under its price-support program. They would be valued at many millions of dollars—if they are sold.

Mr. Gardiner said there also was the matter of 39,000 cases of eggs which the government purchased at the end of last year. But these were sold, he hastened to say—at a loss of \$53,000.

## Ban on Cutting Of Cascara Bark To Be Suggested

A ban on cutting cascara bark on city property will be recommended to City Council May 7 by the parks committee.

The committee at its meeting today agreed on the move following recommendations from Parks Administrator W. H. Warren and City Engineer Cyril Jones.

Mr. Warren quoted Frank Beebe of the provincial museum staff to the effect that 90 per cent of the cascara obtained in B.C. is taken illegally, despite provincial regulations.

He said Mr. Beebe "intimated" there was considerable poaching of cascara bark at Thetis and Elk Lake watersheds.

"I have verified this observation myself," said Mr. Warren.

Practice of cutting the bark, he said, is not compatible with park management and good conservation practice.

## Landslide Blocks Highway to Trail

TRAIL (CP)—Traffic over the Trail-Castlegar highway was disrupted for five hours Wednesday night by a huge slide which thundered down from an overhanging cliff.

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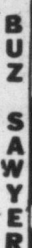
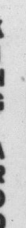
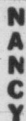
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## THE DOCTOR SAYS

By EDWIN JORDAN, MD

## Some Hypertension Victims Are Successfully Treated

Hundreds of thousands of which merely means that we persons have been told by their doctors do not yet know what physicians that they have high causes this condition.

blood pressure, hypertension. Millions more of us will eventually be told the same thing.

It would be easy to let this frighten us, but this would be about the worst thing we could do. Fright, like the other emotions, is known to have a tendency to increase the blood pressure and not to lower it.

In spite of the current lack of knowledge of the causes and treatment of essential hypertension, progress is being made and some victims of the disorder are being successfully treated.

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What is high blood pressure or hypertension? That is what we call the pressure of the blood against the walls of our arteries when it is constantly higher than "normal."

But it is not easy to say what "normal" really is, because it is higher in some persons than in others without apparently doing the former any harm. Also it has a tendency to go up slightly with age, anyway, so this can be considered a "normal" development.

In fact, many people with blood pressures considerably higher than what is considered the usual or "normal" live in apparently excellent health about as long as others whose blood pressures are more nearly average.

## NO IGNORING IT

But hypertension, with truly high pressures, is a real problem and cannot be ignored. It is not a disease, because it may result from several different conditions, some of which can be effectively treated, and some cannot. In fact, we never, the exact cause is not known and the condition is labeled "essential hypertension" sought.

Now that so many of the infectious diseases have become less important, more people are living longer and hypertension is one of the troubles faced in middle age and old age rather than youth. No doubt, this partly explains why one hears so much about high blood pressure now.

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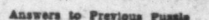
It is encouraging, too, that more scientific brains and more funds are being devoted to research on high blood pressure.

Even today, however, there are several methods of attacking essential hypertension. Some people have been benefited by diet. Of these, the so-called rice diet has received the most attention by the public. But other diets, mostly of the low-salt-content variety, have also proved helpful.

## SURGERY IS USED

The use of tissue extracts has proved useful for some; the production of artificial fever for others. Not to be ignored is surgery. The operation used most frequently consists of cutting some of the nerves lying near the spine (sympathectomy). Certainly many have benefitted by this operation, but it is tough to go through and less punishing methods must still be sought.

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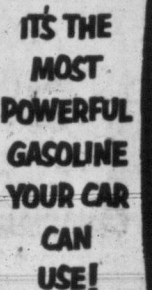


## Farm Family Feud Sees 'Bloody' Battle in Cafe

GRANDVIEW, Man. (CP) — A farm family feud that erupted in a barrage of catsup bottles in a cafe here will have its sequel Saturday in police court.

Police said 23 catsup bottles and contents were splattered over Jim Lee's cafe when the Melnyks—Bill of Petura and Joe and Dan from Birtle—staged a donnybrook with the Frauns of Petura—Frank and Mel Robb said catsup bottles were flying in all directions when he entered the premises. One bottle went through the window and sprayed people on the street.

The fighters were slashed, scratched and splattered. Two required hospital treatment.



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## Liberal Chief Plans Aerial Election Tour

Laing's Campaign Most Extensive of Four Party Leaders; 11 Island Dates Scheduled

Liberal leader Arthur Laing has laid out the most extensive election campaign of all B.C.'s four party leaders. He will speak at 43 meetings in 24 days in scattered parts of the province, and will travel almost entirely by plane.

## Buses to Aid Not Run Away If Bombs Hit

A charge that the whole fleet of B.C. Electric buses would be run into the country empty, to save them from destruction in the event of an air raid was denied by bus company officials here today.

The statement was reported to have been made to a police commission meeting Wednesday by Mayor Claude Harrison.

A spokesman for the company said that CD plans participated in by the transit group, called for buses to operate normally as long as possible. On the "red alert," they were to report to previously designated posts throughout the Greater Victoria area for service in evacuation and ambulance work.

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Target area director, L. G. Hatcher said that this was the plan formulated by his department. He added, "The job is being done in accordance with instructions from Ottawa."

The mayor's charges followed his announcement that here after the "yellow alert" which is issued when planes are known to be in the vicinity, is no longer confidential to civic and CD personnel. It was changed by Ottawa directive.

Mayor Harrison added that he welcomed the change because he felt school children should be evacuated as soon as any threat was hinted.

## Chinese Theme For Cumberland Folk Festival

CUMBERLAND—The Chinese theme will predominate in the fifth annual folk festival to be held here June 12 and 13.

Festival queen will be chosen from among the district's Chinese residents and she will be crowned at a colorful opening night ceremony.

Highlights of the festival will be performances by a 30-voice Chinese choir from Vancouver, a simulated wedding ceremony, fashion show and display of native handicraft.

Heading the festival committee are George E. Apps, chairman; Mrs. Jenny Cossair, secretary, and Mrs. W. Van Alton, treasurer.

Foon Sien, of the Chinese Benevolent Association in Vancouver, has assured the committee of any assistance required.

Robert Henwood, North Vancouver, instigator of the festival, and Dr. W. G. Black, Vancouver, of the immigration and citizenship department, will be invited to officiate.



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## Oak Bay Children May Lack Playspot If Support Fails

Lack of support from parents may force cancellation of the Oak Bay playground program this summer, a member of the Oak Bay playgrounds committee said today.

Annual meeting of the committee was held Wednesday night at the municipal hall, when fewer than 50 persons attended.

"We sent 950 letters to parents of younger children informing them of the meeting and our plans," said Mrs. M. Davis. "The committee feels it does not have more support from parents in the organizing and running of the playgrounds than they won't operate."

Playground program, if undertaken, will be from July 6 to 31. A fourth playground, to relieve overcrowded conditions at Willows, will be started near the Oak Bay fire hall. Others are at Windsor and Lafayette Parks.

Officers elected were: E. Greville-Jones, chairman; T. H. Armstrong, vice-chairman; Mrs. C. W. Ivings, treasurer; Mrs. J. R. Meredith, secretary.

ONE OF TWO teachers who have accompanied a group of young piano students from Portland and Hillsboro, Ore., to participate in the musical festival here is Miss Jean Williams. In a class for concerto, 16 years and under, held Thursday, concertos composed by Miss Williams were set as test pieces. She wrote them originally for her own pupils, with the idea of providing them with a stepping stone to the playing of the great classical works of this type. So successful were they, that four have been published, three of them having full orchestral accompaniment. Miss Williams was born in England, and studied and taught at the Royal Conservatory of Music, Toronto, before going to Portland, where she is recognized as an outstanding teacher.

## Merl Young Sentenced For Perjury

WASHINGTON (CP) — E. Merl Young, former government employee, was sentenced today to four months to two years in prison for lying to senators who dug into his mink-coat buying and high financing while investigating whether influence was involved in loans made by a government agency. One of the specific points on which Young was convicted was that he swore falsely when he denied that, while working for the reconstruction finance corporation, he had anything to do with multi-million-dollar loan applications by Lustron Corp., a prefabricated housing company.

## Big Gold Strike In California

GRASS VALLEY, Calif., (AP) — The spine-tingling cry of "gold!" echoed through California's mother lode country again Thursday after two Valjeo men reported one of the richest initial strikes since 1849.

Tests from the first boring assayed at the astronomical figure of \$124,950 a ton, according to the report of Robert W. Decker, Reno geologist. Other cores nearby turned up samples assaying up to a more moderate—but still highly profitable—\$3,075 a ton.

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## Art by New Canadians Featured at Centre

BY PETE LOUDON

"I was deported to Siberia" is the dramatic title of a painting by John Saarnit of Toronto which is being shown this week at the arts centre.

It is one of a group of pictures by new Canadians, European immigrants who have been in Canada less than four years.

The "Siberia" canvas has authenticity in every tortured brush-stroke, because Saarnit painted it from a terror-filled memory of hunger and fear... he was deported to Siberia!

Born in Estonia in 1909, he saw Russia the hard way. Invading Reds conscripted him into the Russian army in 1941, then suddenly turned about,

deposited him in a Siberian concentration camp.

He shivered and starved there for two years before escaping. He spent a year scuttling across shell-pocked battlefields, sinking through

shadowed areas of Nazi Germany but finally reached Finland in 1944. Later, in Sweden, in 1948 he made his grand gesture. He hung a complete indictment of Russia in the first exhibition of anti-Communist paintings in history.

Then he turned his back on Europe.

Not all of the new Canadians' art is founded on memory of concentration camp atrocity, but none of it is really gay. Threads of misery seem still to be clinging to their brushes. Even the scenes they have painted of this, their new homeland, reflect a little harshness.

Another Estonian, Victorian Abel Lee, has two pen drawings in the show, "Delerium Tremens" and "The Tree of Memory."

Don't gaze at them too long if you are addicted to nightmares. He has revived the "little people" that haunted the minds of early woodcut artists, the goblins, gnomes and "slimy things."

An exhibit by Nelda Sage of light, bright, expressionist painting is also featured this week.

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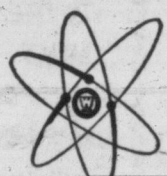
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## U.S. WHEAT IMPORT BAN HITS CANADA

Worst Embargo for West Says Gardiner

OTTAWA (CP)—United States restrictions against Canadian products were criticized Thursday in the Commons, and Agriculture Minister Gardiner remarked that the toughest of them all was a little-known embargo against wheat.

Mr. Gardiner said there is a lot of talk about American restrictions on dairy products, and while these restrictions were important in times of surplus, the major U.S. barrier was against Canadian wheat.

From the point of view of the western grower, the wheat embargo, he said, is the "most serious" problem in the world.

"The question of what we are going to do with our wheat would not be nearly as difficult if it were not that there is an embargo against shipping wheat in the U.S.," he said.

"That in itself increases acreage in the U.S. from 62,000,000 to 83,000,000 acres and when you get 25,000,000 acres—which is equal to our own acreage—extra wheat in the U.S. it certainly has a bearing on the whole world situation."

"We do not say much about that. We talk a lot about some things that are much smaller, and we do not say much about that."

### RESTRICTIONS PLAYED

John Diefenbaker PC—Lake Centre initiated the discussion and criticism of American trade restrictions as the Commons continued study of agriculture estimates.

Mr. Diefenbaker said there was much discussion about Canada-U.S. co-operation in the fight for preservation of freedom. But the U.S. had thrown up restrictions against Canadian dairy products and there was talk about imposing restrictions against imports of oats. The Canadian dairy industry now feared the possibility that the U.S. might dump surpluses of dairy products on world markets.

The strongest possible protest should be made against the U.S. restrictions, said Mr. Diefenbaker. He recalled that the U.S. had imposed tariff boosts back in the 1920s which had damaging effect on Canadian agriculture.

He added: "The U.S. may have been able to justify nationalistic actions such as embargoes and the like against Canadian farm products 30 years ago. At that time the U.S. accepted no world responsibilities to discharge."

"Now, however, we are all in the same boat. One of the most serious things that could happen to Canada is that as a result of actions such as I have indicated, our agricultural productive capacity would not be expanded."



### Thankful To Be Free

Pte. William J. Prabucki of Pittsburgh, Pa., prays with Chaplain Robert L. Rice at Freedom Village, Korea, after being released by Reds in prisoner of war swap. Prabucki said he was one of "several thousand" Americans captured at Kunuri in December, 1950. (NEA Radio-Telephone.)

## House Committee Asks Study Of Death Penalty, Whipping

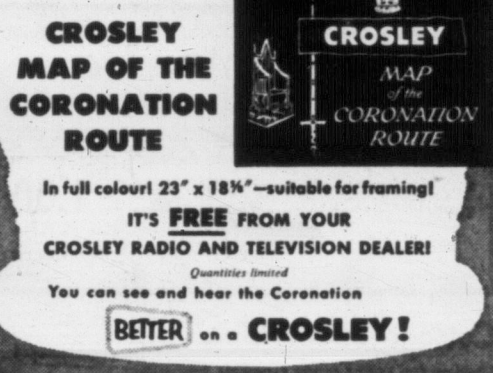
OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons criminal law committee has recommended that a royal commission or parliamentary body be set up to consider abolition of the death penalty and whipping, relaxation of lottery laws and clearer definition of insanity for legal purposes.

Justice Minister Garson had told the committee previously the government is prepared to appoint such a royal commission or parliamentary body.

The committee, considering the first overhaul and consolidation of Canada's Criminal Code since 1892, completed its work Thursday, except for formal drafting of its report, after 37 meetings and 15 sub-committee meetings since February 4.

The new code, under study by the Senate for the previous two years, would eliminate minimum sentences and compress the present code of 1,132 clauses into 744. It still must be approved by the Commons and Senate before it becomes law.

The committee approved the clauses maintaining the present law dealing with capital punishment.



## Evicted 'Witnesses' Awarded \$300 for Joliette Incident

JOLIETTE, Que. (CP)—Damages of \$300 each were awarded Thursday to two young women, Witnesses of Jehovah, who were driven out of town by a group of men and told never to return.

Mr. Justice Andre Demers of the Quebec superior court made the award after saying he was "scandalized by the criminal act" of the men involved. He said the act, although subject only of a damage action, amounted to kidnapping, an offence punishable by up to 25 years in penitentiary.

The damage action was launched on behalf of Olive Lundell and Winnifred Parsons. They had lived in Joliette for six months and were distributing Bible tracts Dec. 14, 1949, when the attack occurred.

The women testified they were molested by a crowd and then forced into a taxi. Six men accompanied them on the drive to Montreal, 40 miles south of here.

They said the men attempted unsuccessfully to have them lodged in the women's jail. They then were driven to a police station where police declined to have anything to do with the case.

The women were released at

a place of liberty. Our ancestors did not fear to brave perilous sea, rigorous winters and dangerous enemies to establish themselves here and it is regrettable that after 300 years of liberty, Canadians could be in the position of losing their freedom by the very sons of these pioneers.

"The court has been greatly scandalized by the criminal act of these individuals who deprive these young defenceless women of that which they hold most dear—the right of every Canadian citizen to personal liberty."

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Adjustable-size slide fastener closing at waist, cuffed legs and one pocket. Red and pink. Sizes 4 to 6x. Pair

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Full gathered style with elastic back waist, front pleat, two-tone trim on pockets. Pink, blue, yellow, grey, sizes small, medium and large. 2.98

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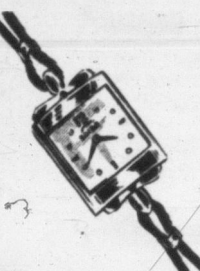


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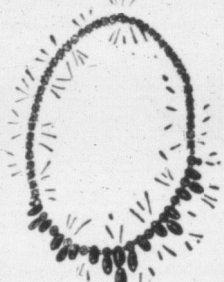
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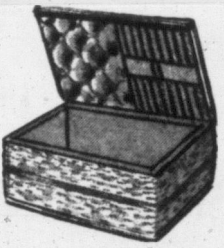


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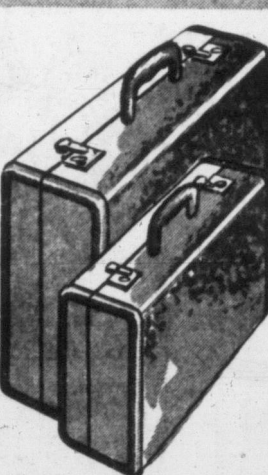
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Note: Muguet des Bois is pronounced... MEW-GAY-DAY-BWAH

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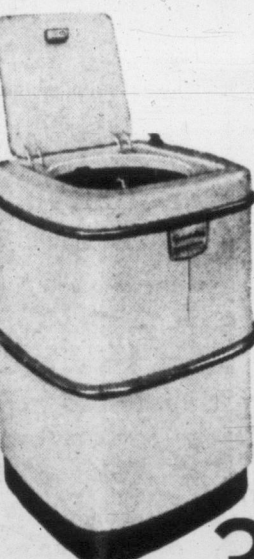
## Travel Sets

A favourite with mothers of all ages... is good luggage. See these smart cases which were specially purchased to sell at these unusually low prices! Made from a wine-tweed plasticized material with rawhide binding, plastic handle and nickel-plated hardware. Special, each

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- Lever-filling type pens.
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## Drama Festival Programs Fresh Off Press

Designed by Ken McAllister, bright programs... 25,000 of them... for Dominion Drama Festival here came off the press today. Featuring an Indian cover motif, and illustrated with

a magnificent photograph of Elk Falls, the program gets approving smile from artist McAllister and Norene Coates. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

## THE POLITICAL POT

Political observers are looking for a hot battle in Vancouver-Point Grey between Tory George Miller and ex-Tory now Attorney General Robert Bonner.

Mr. Miller told friends during the last session he'd only seek election again if he could run against Mr. Bonner.

Both now have been nominated, and they're on the same ballot, so Mr. Miller gets his wish.

"I'm told Bonner is being run in Point Grey to clean up on me," Mr. Miller told a recent meeting. "But I'm not afraid of him. I'll stake my political future on opposition to the most vicious piece of legislation in B.C.'s history—the Roistion Formula."

His running mates are Stewart Chambers, Vancouver lawyer, and T. F. Orr, Vancouver alderman.

There's nothing quite like unbounded optimism.

John Perdue, Chilliwack contractor and president of the B.C. Social Credit League, told a recent meeting:

"We'll win the coming election and stay in power for 50 years."

Mr. Perdue is running in Mackenzie, which is not his home riding.

Mayor Toby Jackson of New Westminster has been nominated Liberal candidate in that riding.

New nominations — Robert Carson of Valleyview, son of a former Liberal speaker of the Legislature, Liberal Kamloops (nephew of late Ernie Carson, a Tory); Harvey Murphy, regional director of the Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers' Union, L.P.P., Vancouver East (L.P.P. Leader Nigel Morgan nominated for other seat earlier); Thomas Irwin, speaker of last Legislature, Social Credit, Delta; Frank Bond, Prince George, C.C.F., Fort George; Fred Stevens, retired taxi company operator, P.C., Burnaby; Norm Carmichael, chairman of the Vancouver Athletic Commission, and Hugh Allen, Community Chest executive director, Progressive Conservative, Vancouver-Burrard; Rev. C. W. Parker, Social Credit, Peace River; H. E. Taylor, municipal councillor, Progressive Conservative, Chilliwack; H. R. King, Cranbrook Farmers' Co-Op, Socred, Cranbrook.

## DRAMA FESTIVAL CURTAIN MONDAY

National Title at Stake Here  
When Canada's Best Compete

The curtain goes up Monday in Victoria on the biggest thing in Canadian drama — the annual Dominion Drama Festival.

Eight amateur theatrical groups, from widely-scattered points, are coming to compete for national honors. They bring with them 150 performers, who are regarded as the cream of Canada's acting crop.

Months of preparation have gone into each of the eight plays which will be presented at the Royal Theatre during the course of the festival. Two of the plays — "Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme" by St. Joseph's University Group, of New Brunswick, and "Zone," to be presented by Le Jeune Scene of Montreal — will be in French.

The people coming to display their talents are all in it for the love of the stage. They are traveling to and from the festival largely at their own expense.

The company of 25 coming from St. Joseph's University, St. John, N.B., will travel tourist class by train for almost a week to cover the 4,000 miles between their own coast and this. Cost of their trip is about \$5,000. The Dominion Drama Festival provides only \$900 to help defray this expense.

Most of those in the festival are making the trip during their annual holiday time.

The eight plays scheduled for presentation in the festival were picked from 54 full-length productions submitted in regional competitions. John Allen, an adjudicator from London, England, traveled the country by train and plane during the regional contests, and it was his verdict that decided what plays would be in the final.

Adjudicator for the festival here will be Pierre Lefevre, also of London, who is now flying here, by way of New York, and is expected to arrive Saturday.

The adjudicator is bilingual so that plays in both French and English will be judged on an equal basis.

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## GRISLY GUARANTEE

Chief's Head Gives Reds Safe Passage

SINGAPORE (Reuters) — Three members of a high Communist chief's bodyguard have surrendered to British security forces here, swinging the chief's head by the hair as a safe conduct pass.

The bodyguards turned on the Red boss in the Malayan jungle underground, killed him, and gave themselves up, authorities announced today.

The leader was Ah Kuk, a member of the central committee of the Malayan Communist party. British security forces have sought him since the start of the jungle war here five years ago.

Authorities claimed he was the most important terrorist leader eliminated since December, 1949, when police shot

# Bulganin Challenges West to Reduce Arms

## Buenos Aires Shaken By 7 Bomb Blasts

Peron Demands Probe of U.S. News Agencies

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (UP) — A truckload of police arrived in front of the United Press Bureau in Buenos Aires today, shortly after President Juan D. Peron had demanded in a speech, an investigation of the three American news agencies represented here.

Seven bomb explosions shook Buenos Aires this May Day morning. The seventh occurred while President Juan Peron was addressing the opening of the 87th Argentine Congress. The blast could be heard clearly in the chamber.

All the bombs were set off in small public parks, where damage was unlikely. The first blast occurred shortly after midnight.

Police were spaced about 10 yards apart along both sides of the streets over which Peron rode from his residence to Congress. He made no reference to the explosions but began his speech by hotly assailing his enemies, whom he linked to imperialist forces abroad. He did not identify these forces.

He said tales of supposed Argentine economic crisis had been invented and spread abroad by the Associated Press and the United Press. At another point he spoke derisively about the Christian Science Monitor, which has criticized his regime.

## 8 Provinces Appeal Freight Rate Hike

OTTAWA (CP) — Eight provincial governments today formally called on the cabinet to revoke the 7 per cent increase in freight rates that went into effect March 16.

In an appeal to the government against the Board of Transport Commissioners' \$38,500,000-a-year award to the railways, the provinces asked that, after the increases were wiped out, the board be directed to undertake further studies in connection with the disputed increase.

The provincial group — all except Ontario and Quebec — contended that the board accepted some railway figures on expense and revenues without enough investigation.

## Laing Resigns Seat

OTTAWA (BUP) — Arthur Laing, Liberal Member of Parliament for Vancouver South, resigned his Commons seat today to devote his full time to his new job of Liberal party leader in British Columbia.

Laing was named head of the British Columbia Liberal party at a recent convention in Vancouver. He will lead the party in a major Liberal bid to win the forthcoming provincial election in the west coast province June 9.

## LONDON TIMES BLASTS CLARK OVER MIG OFFER

LONDON (UP) — The influential London Times denounced Gen. Mark Clark today for offering \$100,000 to the first Communist pilot to deliver a MIG-15 undamaged to Allied hands.

The Times, which usually supports Prime Minister Winston Churchill, criticized him too for defending Clark's offer in the House of Commons.

"Very many people in this country outside the Labor ranks in the House of Commons think the offer repugnant, stupid and ill-timed," The Times said.

"In his defense of the American action, Sir Winston Churchill quoted a distinguished textbook on international law stating that the proffer of such bribes for treachery in time of war was no longer considered 'illegal,' but he surely said far more than he intended when he added that it was 'very much better to be bribed than to be killed.'"

## Mayhew Offers Amalgamation Survey Backing

\$1,000 Donation Contingent On Municipal Contributions

By ED McLEAN, Times Business Editor

Logan Mayhew offered today to contribute \$1,000 to break the Greater Victoria municipal amalgamation deadlock.

His donation, earmarked for a chamber of commerce-financed independent survey of all aspects of amalgamation, was announced at a chamber directors' luncheon.

Mr. Mayhew said his donation was contingent on Victoria, Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich businessmen providing the remainder of the survey's \$5,000-\$10,000 cost.

Greater Victoria businessmen should take leadership in the bogged-down amalgamation question, Mr. Mayhew told the Times.

"It's up to business to pay the shot for a survey that may settle this question, one way or the other. Here's my contribution; let's all chip in."

Chamber of commerce civic affairs group, headed by Len Hobbs, delivered to C. of C. directors March 7 a recommendation made by a sub-committee led by former city alderman Aubrey Kent.

It advocated a painstaking over-all study of amalgamation by an independent expert.

Proposal has been studied by the chamber's 1953 directorate — but a chief obstacle to implementation is the chamber's financial situation. Last year the chamber received \$700 less than its widespread work cost. It began 1953 with only \$1,165 in the bank.

Amalgamation was one of two topics slated for chamber of commerce directors' meeting in Empress Hotel today. Downtown parking was the other. The discussions began at press-time.

Civic affairs sub-committee's recommendation on amalgamation was pegged to an analysis by Forrest L. Shaw of the B.C. Power Commission, one-time city solicitor. (Mr. Shaw's brief was published in four installments in the Times on March 17-20.)

SHOW NO INTEREST

Recommending the chamber provide \$5,000-\$10,000 for an independent survey, the sub-committee emphasized Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt appeared "not interested" in leading the way toward amalgamation. It also feared if Victoria city financed the study other municipalities might quarrel with the findings on the basis of Victoria bias and self-interest.

Municipal amalgamation has been a lively topic here since 1910.

## CROSSWORD CONTEST

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OL' VIC SAYS: If there's any wet nursin' around th' City Hall, like Mr. Smith sez, bet it's mostly fer nursin' grudges.

Them Malayan rebels who used a feller's head 't' flag down a train with must 'o' noticed he was lantern-jawed.

M' Uncle Zeke's bin called a bad actor, but he's goin' t' th' drama festival just th' same.

## Moscow May Day Speech Hits Defense Build-Up

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union's defense minister, Marshal Nikolai A. Bulganin, challenged the western world today to show by deeds as well as pacific statements that it wants peace.

Until the west does, Bulganin declared in a short May Day address in Moscow's Red Square, Russia will continue to "show due care for ensuring the defense and security of our country."

The war minister demanded substantial evidence — particularly a reduction of armaments in lands near the Soviet Union — as a sign that other countries seek a peaceful solution of the world's problems.

"The Soviet government will welcome any steps on the part of other governments genuinely aimed at the easing of tension in the international situation and would like to see peaceful statements made by the leaders of these governments supported by deeds," he said.

The speech was a highlight of Moscow's May Day celebration which also included a short military review and a longer workers' parade.

Bulganin said the Soviet Union believes that with "good-will and a sensible approach, all international differences can be solved by peaceful means."

Just before speaking he inspected troops drawn up in Red Square and nearby streets. The square was decorated with portraits of Lenin and Stalin, coats of arms of the 16 Soviet republics and party slogans.

Formations of jet planes flew overhead as the military parade got under way.

Bulganin's statement came as Pravda, the Soviet Communist party's newspaper, called for an armistice "in the cold war which is ruining all people."

## Brawls, Fights Mark Parades

Outside the Iron Curtain, workers of the free world also marked the holiday with rallies, speeches, parades. There was some fighting, however.

In Japan, where rioters attacked American vehicles and battled bloodily with police last May Day, jeering marchers again brawled with the steel-helmeted cops.

Some 10,000 jeering leftist youths tangled with 1,500 police when the youths refused to disperse at the end of what had been a peaceful parade by 500,000 laborers through downtown streets.

One of the biggest May Day observances was in Berlin, where east and west staged rival shows less than a mile apart under a broiling sun and a cloudless sky. In the Soviet sector workers marched for

hours past a reviewing stand of top Communist government chiefs and Russian officials. West Berliners massed in front of the ruined Reichstag to hear their anti-Red leaders defy Communist encroachment.

In troubled Iran, the military governor of Tehran banned all demonstrations by workers and students in the capital after rumors that the outlawed but active Communist Tudeh party planned a big rally. Such affairs in the past have often wound up in bloody street fights.

New York police also banned the annual march there, asserting it had become a Communist affair. A meeting in downtown Union Square, okayed by the police in the interest of free speech and assembly — was scheduled instead.

## Fighting Breaks Out Around Laos Capital

HANOI, Indo-China (UP) — French and Vietnamese Communist forces started trading fire outside the royal capital city today and a major showdown battle was believed in the Red invasion of little Laos kingdom.

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## British Firm Gets New Chance

WASHINGTON (Reuters) — The U.S. Army issued a new call for tenders today in the wake of the Anglo-American controversy over bids for the job of building generators for the Chief Joseph Dam in Washington State.

When bids were first called for, a British company offered to build the generators for the lowest price. When the offer was turned down, it stirred protests from Britain where newspapers said the rejection contradicted President Eisenhower's "trade, not aid" policy.

## Arsenal English Soccer Champions

LONDON (Reuters) — London's favored Arsenal today defeated Burnley 3-2 to win the English League First Division soccer championship with a superior goal average.

Arsenal finished the season with 54 points, the same as Preston North End. But Arsenal scored 97 goals to 64 against, compared with Preston's 85 to 60.

## U.S. to Back French Plea in UN

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States has assured France it would strongly support any appeal to the United Nations for help in resisting the Communist invasion of the Indo-Chinese state of Laos. No decision has been made on whether such an appeal would be launched, however.

American diplomats and French officials have been consulting in Paris on the dangerous Indo-Chinese crisis.

## Vancouver May Host Davis Cup Play

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Province says today Vancouver has been offered the chance to become host city for the Davis Cup tennis round between the United States and Japan in July.

## Gregg Moves to Aid Sick Unemployed

OTTAWA (CP) — Labor Minister Gregg today moved in the Commons a resolution preliminary to his bill to extend unemployment insurance to some sick workers.

The measure will provide insurance benefits for workers who become ill after being put out of work for other reasons. Now, persons must be available for work before they can collect benefits.

LONDON TIMES BLASTS  
CLARK OVER MIG OFFER

LONDON (UP) — The influential London Times denounced Gen. Mark Clark today for offering \$100,000 to the first Communist pilot to deliver a MIG-15 undamaged to Allied hands.

The Times, which usually supports Prime Minister Winston Churchill, criticized him too for defending Clark's offer in the House of Commons.

## OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

## TANFORAN

FIRST RACE — Mile and sixteenth:  
Bentley 103  
Dante 107  
English 109  
Chino 109  
Joe Dingo 109  
Be Gallant 112  
Amethyst 112

SECOND RACE — Mile and sixteenth:  
Bentley 103  
Dante 107  
English 109  
Chino 109  
Joe Dingo 109  
Be Gallant 112  
Amethyst 112

THIRD RACE — Mile and sixteenth:  
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Joe Dingo 109  
Be Gallant 112  
Amethyst 112

FOURTH RACE — Mile and sixteenth:  
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Dante 107  
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Chino 109  
Joe Dingo 109  
Be Gallant 112  
Amethyst 112

FIFTH RACE — Mile and sixteenth:  
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Joe Dingo 109  
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Amethyst 112

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Joe Dingo 109  
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## SUFFOLK DOWNS

FIRST RACE — Six furlongs:  
Sweep the Sky 104  
Printers Gold 109  
Sweep the Sky 104  
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## KENTUCKY DERBY DOPE

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (UP) — The field for the 79th running of the \$100,000 added Kentucky Derby tomorrow at 1 1/4 miles, listed in order of post positions, follows:

Horse	Jockey	Owner	Odds
Ace Destroyer	J. D. Jessop	T. M. Daniel	30
Correspondent	E. Arco	Mrs. G. Guibeson	4
Ram O' War	D. Dodson	B. S. Campbell	20
Invigorator	W. Shoemaker	Saxon Stable	20
Spy Defense	P. McLean	Dixiana Stable	20
Curragh King	D. Erb	E. M. Goemans	3/5
Native Dancer	E. Guerin	A. G. Stable	10
Money Broker	A. Popara	V. & G. Vanderbilt	3/5
Social Outcast	J. Adams	V. & G. Vanderbilt	10
Straight Star	T. Atkinson	Greentree Stable	10
Dark Star	H. Moreno	Cain Hoy Stable	8
Royal Bay Gem	J. Combest	E. Constantin Jr.	6

All carry 126 pounds. Gross value \$118,850. Net value \$80,800. Second \$10,000. Third \$5,000. Fourth \$2,500. Post time 2:30 (Victoria time). Televised and broadcast by CBS, starting at 2:15 (Victoria time). Track record, 2:12 3/4, set by Whirlaway in the 1941 derby. (Gross value and net to winner \$730 less for each scratch.)

Police Guard  
U.S. Offices  
In ArgentinaBomb Punctuates  
Peron May Day Talk

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (UP) — Police guards were stationed today at the U.S. Embassy, the United Press Bureau and buildings housing other American news agencies and correspondents.

The action followed a visit by United States Ambassador Alberto F. Nuñez to Foreign Minister Jeronimo Remorino.

The capital's May Day celebrations were marred by a series of bomb explosions.

President Juan D. Peron, delivering his "state of the union" address to the opening session of the 17th session of the Argentine Congress, charged that American news agencies and correspondents were spreading "lies" about his country's economic situation.

He demanded an investigation and punishment of "unworthy journalists."

The opening of his speech was interrupted by the explosion of the seventh in a series of bombs, only half a block from the Palacio del Congreso, where Peron was speaking.

The blast was felt strongly in the Chamber of Deputies and broke windows in the neighborhood.

## SELECTIONS

TANFORAN  
1—In Gallant, English Miss, Amethyst  
2—Lucky Star, Vicki's Girl, Trail Me  
3—Belle Girl, Great Runner, Dark  
4—Belle Girl, Great Runner, Dark

SUFFOLK DOWNS  
1—Printers Gold, Shopper's Shoe, You  
2—Printers Gold, Shopper's Shoe, You  
3—Printers Gold, Shopper's Shoe, You

RACE RESULTS  
TANFORAN  
First Race—(Phillips) \$14.50 \$2.30 \$2.10  
Belle Me (York) 2.40 2.30  
Pala (Miller) 7.00

SUFFOLK DOWNS  
First Race—(Smith) \$15.20 \$5.60 \$5.00  
Printers Gold (Kenny) 3.30 4.00  
Printers Gold (Kenny) 3.30 4.00

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CONTEST  
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OL' VIC SAYS:  
If there's any wet nursin' around th' City Hall, like Mr. Smith sez, let it's mostly fer nursin' grudges.

Them Malayans rebels who used a feller's head t' flag down a train with must o' noticed he was lantern-jawed.

M' Uncle Zeke's bin called a bad actor, but he's goin' t' th' drama festival just th' same.



They All Get Into the Act

Brownies and Yankees mix it up in a 10th inning free-for-all at second base in St. Louis that touched off a riot with irate fans tossing bottles at the players. The brawl started when Brown catcher Clint Courtney slid into second base with spikes up, knocking Phil Rizzuto

Bulganin Challenges  
West to Reduce ArmsRussia Defense Minister's May Day Speech  
Hits Defense Build-Up; Troops Parade

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union's defense minister, Marshal Nikolai A. Bulganin, challenged the western world today to show by deeds as well as pacific statements that it wants peace.

Until the west does, Bulganin declared in a short May Day address in Moscow's Red Square, Russia will continue to "show due care for ensuring the defense and security of our country."

The war minister demanded substantial evidence — particularly a reduction of armaments in lands near the Soviet Union — as a sign that other countries seek a peaceful solution of the world's problems.

"The Soviet government will welcome any steps on the part of other governments genuinely aimed at the easing of tension in the international situation and would like to see peaceful statements made by the leaders of these governments supported by deeds," he said.

Bulganin's statement came as Pravda, the Soviet Communist party's newspaper, called for an armistice "in the cold war which is ruining all people."

## Brawls, Fights Mark Parades

Outside the Iron Curtain, workers of the free world also marked the holiday with rallies, speeches, parades. There was some fighting, however.

In Japan, where rioters attacked American vehicles and battled bloodily with police last May Day, jeering marchers again braved with the steel helmeted cops.

Some 10,000 jeering leftist youths tangled with 1,500 police when the youths refused to disperse at the end of what had been a peaceful parade by 500,000 laborers through downtown streets.

One of the biggest May Day observances was in Berlin, where east and west staged rival shows less than a mile apart under a broiling sun and a cloudless sky. In the Soviet sector, workers marched for hours past a reviewing stand of top Communist government chiefs and Russian officials. West Berliners massed in front

U.S. Tax Cut  
Unlikely

WASHINGTON (UP) — Republican congressional leaders today were hopeful, but far from certain, that President Eisenhower's \$8,500,000,000 budget cut will clear the way for early tax relief.

Mr. Eisenhower himself sidestepped the tax question when he announced the economy cut, mainly in military and foreign aid funds, at a news conference Thursday. But he said he did not expect a balanced budget for the 1954 fiscal year beginning July 1. And he has said before that a balanced budget must be "in sight" before he will approve tax reduction.

Exploration Shares  
Slip Back to 79

Uranium again featured Vancouver stock exchange dealings this afternoon.

National Exploration's zooming advance was halted after it had reached a new high of 84 cents during the forenoon. Some sales early this afternoon were at 79. On Thursday National Ex. closed at 78.

Beaverledge, another uranium, touched 1.60 this afternoon, an eight-cent advance on the day.

Other late quotations: Western Union 88 1/2, Federated Petroleum \$6.40, York Oil 34, a four-cent advance, Del Rio \$2.85.

## LADY WONDER SLEUTHS AGAIN

Talking Horse Says Missing  
Girl Can Be Found in Maine

GUELPH, Ont. (CP) — A tip from a talking horse has given a grey-haired mother new hope of finding her daughter who vanished three years ago.

Mrs. Sheldon Crumback said Thursday night the horse indicated her 22-year-old daughter, Mabel, is in Maine. Mrs. Crumback recently sent photographs and information about the girl to Maine newspapers which published them.

She has since received letters from Maine, but nothing yet to lead her to the attractive girl who disappeared from her home in a Toronto suburb one night while her parents were attending a wedding in Detroit.

The horse is Lady Wonder, 28 years old, owned by Mrs. Claudia Fonda of Richmond, Va. Lady Wonder responds to questions by muzzling levers that raise letters and numbers which questioners watch for clues.

Lady Wonder was in the news four months ago when police credited the animal with helping them find the body of Danny Matson, four, missing two years from his home in Quincy, Mass.

About that time reporter Dorothy Howarth of the Toronto Telegram went to see the horse. One of the questions she asked Lady Wonder was "where is Mabel Crumback?" The reply was "in Maine."

Survey May Result  
From Mayhew's Gift

By ED McLEAN, Times Business Editor

Spurred by Logan Mayhew's offer, Chamber of Commerce directors this afternoon adopted a civic affairs sub-committee's recommendation that an independent authoritative study be made, preferably by a non-Victorian expert, on all aspects of Greater Victoria municipal amalgamation.

Mr. Mayhew offered \$1,000 toward the survey's estimated \$5,000-\$10,000 cost provided other Victoria, Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich businessmen would put up the rest.

T. G. Denny indicated he would match Mr. Mayhew's donation, after consultation with his brother, Roy, his business partner.

Jack Ledger, Junior Chamber of Commerce president, said his group might raise part of the survey's cost.

"It's up to business to pay the shot for a survey that may settle this question, one way or the other. Here's my contribution; let's all chip in," Mr. Mayhew said.

Chamber of commerce civic affairs group, headed by Len Hobbs, delivered to C. of C. directors March 7 a recommendation made by a sub-committee led by former city alderman Aubrey Kent.

STUDY RECOMMENDED  
It advocated a painstaking over-all study of amalgamation by an independent expert.

Proposal has been studied by the chamber's 1953 directorate—but a chief obstacle to implementation is the chamber's financial situation. Last year the chamber received \$700 less than its widespread work cost. It began 1953 with only \$1,165 in the bank.

Civic affairs sub-committee's recommendation on amalgamation was pegged to an analysis by Forrest L. Shaw of the B.C. Power Commission, one-time city solicitor. (Mr. Shaw's brief was published in four installments in the Times on March 17-20.)

SHOW NO INTEREST  
Recommending the chamber provide \$5,000-\$10,000 for an independent survey, the sub-committee emphasized Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt appeared "not interested" in leading the way toward amalgamation. It also feared if Victoria city financed the study other municipalities might quarrel with the findings on the basis of Victoria bias and self-interest.

Municipal amalgamation has been a lively topic here since 1910.

Fighting Breaks Out  
Around Laos Capital

HANOI, Indo-China (UP) — French and Vietnamese Communist forces started trading fire outside the royal capital city today and a major showdown battle was making in the Red invasion of little Laos kingdom.

French sources here said French patrol units exchanged rifle and submachinegun fire with advance Vietnamese spearheads in a narrow ring of no-man's land around besieged Luang Prabang.

French aircraft pilots risked death in murky weather to land at Luang Prabang during the night with additional supplies for the estimated 9,000 French union defenders who have dug in for a "fight to the death" to save the royal capital.

The emergency air cargoes included desperately-needed artillery pieces. Six battalions of Vietnamese siege troops were reported to have set up 120-mm mortars and Czech-made 75-mm recoilless guns around the city.

French union units were laying hundreds of mines in the ring of no-man's land separating the two armies.

CCF Leader Pledges  
Support to Pro-Rec

VANCOUVER (CP) — CCF leader Arnold Webster opened his election campaign in Vancouver East Thursday night with a pledge that his party would expand the Pro-Rec program throughout the province.

Mr. Webster also blasted the Social Credit Rolston education bill which he said "sets up 79 different standards of education in districts of B.C. and is Balkanization of education."

Mrs. Crumback, who moved here with her family from the Toronto area about three months after Mabel disappeared has never given up hope that the girl will return.

Neighbors said they heard a scream and men's voices in the Crumback home about the time the brown-haired \$28-a-week bookkeeper disappeared on May 28, 1950. Soon afterwards, a grey car sped down the street.